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THE INFAMOUS ELECTION BILL
Will be Forced Through in Order to Make the Next House Surely Republican—Mr. Blount to Succeed Mr. Randall.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—[Special.]—The republican party is determined to force a federal election law upon the people of the south. They have a caucus committee especially appointed to pass upon the measures already introduced, and to report a bill that can be pushed through under Reed's gag rules without much debate. Reed is chairman of the committee, while Henry Cabot Lodge is first lieutenant. They have considered all the bills. The favorite measure seems to be one first drawn up by Chairman Powell of the elections committee. It is innocuous on its face, but beneath the surface it is the most vicious measure yet prepared. It provides for the states to hold their own elections, and for the returns of the same to be made as they are now made to the clerk of the house. However, there is to be a federal returning board or board of supervisors, who are to oversee matters, and who are allowed to make returns to the clerk of the house if they think the returns of the state board are incorrect. If only one certificate is received by the clerk of the house, the member is allowed to take his seat. However, if the federal board sends in a protest, neither member is allowed to take his seat, but the house is to decide by vote who is entitled to it. Now a republican clerk will organize the next house, and under this bill he can make it republican, even though the democrats have twenty majority. It can simply be arranged for twenty or thirty southern seats to be contested. These men, then, cannot take their seats at the opening of the session, which will leave a republican majority at the organization, which majority can sort in Georgia, but in parts of Alabama there was considerable unseated. Indeed, it was found where the government has been systematically robbed by witness fees, etc., for a long time in Alabama.

MR. BLOUNT WILL BE APPOINTED.
Mr. Blount, of Georgia, will succeed the late Sam Randall on the committee on rules. At least Speaker Reed has stated that he would appoint Mr. Blount. The appointment was to have been made today, but Mr. Reed neglected to announce it. It might be announced tomorrow.

SAMPLE REPUBLICAN HONESTY.
Chairman Powell, of the elections committee, today presented a report to the house in the McDuffie-Turpin case, from Alabama, in favor of seating McDuffie, the republican. This is the case that was decided on the ground that the census of 1880 shows the negroes in the majority in the district. Mr. Powell consumed 100 pages of legal paper in writing the report. It is the longest ever presented to the house.

THE COMMITTEE RETURNS.
The house committee sent out to investigate federal court officials returned today. Colonel Oates says he found no rascality of any sort in Georgia, but in parts of Alabama there was considerable unseated. Indeed, it was found where the government has been systematically robbed by witness fees, etc., for a long time in Alabama.

GEORGIA BRIDAL COUPLES.
Three Georgia bridal couples came in on the same train yesterday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Appleton, who were married in Atlanta; Dr. and Mrs. Chapman, of Cedarhurst, and Mr. and Mrs. Lusk McDonald, of Rome.

MISS JONES, OF CEDARHURST, is here visiting Congressman Joe Wheeler's family.

G. Wright was today appointed postmaster at Pantherville, DeKalb county.

COLONEL OATES COMPROMISES.
Colonel Oates, of Alabama, has compromised his case against the street railroad company here. Last January, when he was taken to the capital and primed for a great speech, as he always makes, against Reed's gag rules, he was thrown from a street car by a crowd of rascals. He returned in an exhausted condition, and has gradually grown worse. At his residence little can be learned of his real condition, but his associates in the senate have become greatly alarmed at the present state of affairs.

SENATOR EDMUNDS DANGEROUSLY ILL.
A great deal of apprehension is felt in regard to Senator Edmunds, who is ill at his residence in this city. He has been greatly debilitated lately, and on Friday last made a trip to Baltimore. He returned in an exhausted condition, and has gradually grown worse. At his residence little can be learned of his real condition, but his associates in the senate have become greatly alarmed at the present state of affairs.

BANK OFFICERS ARRESTED.
PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—President Louis E. Pfeiffer, Cashier James L. Duggan, Assistant Cashier Joshua Pfeiffer and Paying Teller W. H. Hergesheimer, of the suspended Bank of America, were arrested yesterday morning before the stockholders' meeting, on two warrants sworn out by Roger Wayne, a director and stockholder of the bank. They are charged with receiving a deposit of \$5,000 from a firm on April 29th, the day before the announcement of the suspension, well knowing their institution was insolvent. The assistant cashier and teller are charged with refusing payment of Wayne's check for \$2,000, presented April 29th and 30th, both days, with the statement that Wayne had no funds to his credit, when on each of these days he had more than \$5,000 to his credit.

A Freight Conductor Killed.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 7.—[Special.]—Joseph Ross, freight conductor on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, was run over and killed at 6:30 this morning, near Spartanburg junction. He was in charge of the Atlanta freight, due here at 11 a. m. The accident happened while he was waiting on the top of the cars superintending the shifting. He dropped between the cars, falling crosswise on the rails. His body was cut in two. The deceased was twenty-six years old and unmarried.

The Norfolk and Western Election.
ROANOKE, Va., May 7.—The annual meeting of the Norfolk and Western Railroad company was held today. The following officers were re-elected: F. J. Kimball, of Philadelphia, president; Charles G. Eddy, of Roanoke, vice-president; W. J. Henry, of Philadelphia, secretary; and W. G. McCowell, of Philadelphia, treasurer. The old board of directors was re-elected as well. The old officers of Shenandoah Valley road were also re-elected.

Bringing Term to Term.
PARIS, May 7.—Official dispatches from Kanton say that the bombardment of Wydhah has demoralized the Dahomeans and they are inclined to accept the terms of the French. Forty-six naval fusiliers and 155 marine infantry have embarked at Brest for Dakar and Kanton.

SILVER IN THE SENATE.

The Jones Bill Taken Up and Several Amendments Offered.
WASHINGTON, May 7.—In the senate, Mr. Gibson presented a resolution of the Mississippi river improvement convention, lately held in Vicksburg, and of the southern press association, recently in session in Charleston, S. C., in favor of the levee system and of the Eads system.

Among the bills reported from committees and placed on the calendar were the following: House bill to fix the regiments of circuit and district courts for southern district of Alabama.

House regular appropriation bills for the army and for the military academy.

Mr. Call introduced a joint resolution authorizing the interstate commerce commission to investigate cases of interference by railroad corporations (in issuing free passes) with the election of United States senators and members of congress. Referred.

A bill for the transfer of the revenue marine service to the navy department was taken up by a vote of 30 to 24, but at 2 o'clock it was displaced under last Friday's agreement, by the senate bill authorizing the issue of treasury notes on the deposit of silver bullion (the Jones bill).

The bill having been read in extenso, Mr. Stewart rose and said: "I ask unanimous consent that the bill just read shall be postponed until Tuesday next, and shall then be taken up by the senate." The bill was then postponed until Tuesday next.

Mr. Vest objected. He did not know, he said, what arrangements had been made outside of the chamber, nor did he care. His judgment was that the silver bill was the most important bill on the calendar, that it ought to be disposed of, and that it had been unreasonably delayed.

Mr. Stewart's request was supported by several republicans, and the bill was postponed until Tuesday next.

Mr. Jones, of Nevada, who is in charge of the bill, is absent from the city, and desired the postponement.

Mr. Vest's objection prevailed, and consideration of the silver bill was then proceeded with.

Mr. Sherman moved to amend the bill by inserting, as a new section, a provision repealing all laws that require money deposited in the treasury under section 5,222 of the Revised Statutes to be held as a special fund for the redemption of national bank notes and covering into the treasury such sums deposited under section 4 of the act of June 20, 1874, "fixing the amount of United States notes (being section 6 of the longer bill)."

Mr. Plumb moved to amend the amendment by inserting a provision that, hereafter, no funds available for the payment of the public debt (including such as are kept for the redemption of treasury notes) shall be retained in the treasury in excess of \$100,000,000.

No vote was taken on either of the pending amendments, and Messrs. Vest and Teller gave notice of substitutes which they would offer for whole bill.

After executive session, the senate adjourned.

INDIANA MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.
High License the Issue in Most of the Towns.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Municipal elections were generally held throughout Indiana yesterday. In Valparaiso the republicans elected the mayor and treasurer, the democrats electing the clerk and marshal. The republicans elected two aldermen and the democrats one, leaving the control of the city still in the hands of the republicans.

In Lafayette the democrats elected four of the seven councilmen and the water commissioners. This gives the democrats control.

In Crawfordsville, owing to the decided stand the republicans took against saloons and gambling, the democrats pulled a tight ticket in the field and secured two councilmen.

In Ellettsville the democrats elected eleven councilmen, the independents one. The new council stands sixteen democrats and two republicans.

In Evansville the democrats elected the mayor and treasurer, the democrats the clerk, marshal, three councilmen and waterworks commissioner.

High license and various other local issues complicated the contests in many places.

THE CANADIAN HORROR.
The Loss of Life Placed at About One Hundred.

LONGUE POINTE, Quebec, May 7.—The sister superior of the nuns who conducted the burned asylum, places the loss of life by yesterday's fire at twenty, possibly fifty, and Dr. Duquet, government medical inspector, thinks the loss will reach at least sixty. The consensus of opinion is that it will not be less than one hundred, and perhaps double that amount. One hundred male patients were quartered, last night in the stables of the institution, and 100 females in the laundry. The loss is placed as high as \$1,500,000; insurance, \$500,000, in the Royal Assurances Co. of London.

As the full details of the Longue Pointe asylum fire become known the horror is intensified. It is known by the last report to the Quebec press that the fire was caused by a match instead of 1,300, and this much is certain that no one will ever know the number of victims. From collateral information it must be that there are 150 nuns, and it is known that many of the wards were locked and in cases where the firemen did not break in doors whole rooms full perished miserably.

A Little Girl Burned to Death.
DURHAM, N. C., May 7.—[Special.]—There was a terrible scene on the street here today. Lotta Waters, a bright-eyed, 12-year-old daughter of a widow lady, was injured by a fire in the kitchen, and she poured kerosene oil from a can. The fire ignited and the flames leaped up to the ceiling. An explosion followed, and the poor child screaming, rushed into the street with her entire body enveloped in flames. Her brother rushed to her side, and tried to smother the flames, but was only burned himself as a result of his efforts. Lotta struggled bravely, but soon died. Every piece of clothing was burned from her body.

The Singer Company's Loss.
ELIZABETH, N. J., May 7.—In the fire last night the entire western front of the Singer Sewing Machine factory, on First street, four stories high, was gutted by fire. The flames were kindled by a match, and spread rapidly, extending along Trumbull street, cleaning out the stock of the needles, finishing, adjusting, inspecting and milling rooms. The pattern department was also destroyed, with the exception of the sewing machines. Fifty thousand finished machines and 18,000,000 needles were consumed. The loss is estimated at \$2,000,000, fully insured by the Singer company. All work is suspended, and over 3,000 operatives listlessly gaze upon the burned building. Work can not be resumed under two months.

Collision at a Crossing.
ALLENTOWN, Pa., May 7.—At 6:43 o'clock this morning the New Jersey Central express train ran into a Lehigh Valley New York passenger train at the grade crossing of Union street, this city. Two of the Lehigh passenger cars and the engine of the New Jersey Central train were thrown on their sides. A young lady passenger in the Lehigh Valley train was killed, and five or six others injured; not seriously.

THE TARIFF TALK.

MCKINLEY'S BILL DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE.

MR. MILLS MAKES A GREAT SPEECH

In Reply to the Arguments of the Republicans—Under the Address the House.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—[Special.]—The debate on the McKinley tariff bill opened this afternoon at an exceedingly poor house. There was no more excitement or special manifestation of interest than is shown when an appropriation bill is called up for consideration. The galleries were almost empty, except what is known as the "black belt," behind the clerk, opposite the speaker's chair, which contained the usual number of occupants who have no place else to go. There were about ninety members on the republican side and fifty on the democratic side of the main aisle, when Major McKinley marched in and began arranging a great pile of legal books and documents on his desk. He carefully glanced toward the galleries, and a look of surprise overcame his McKinley face as he contemplated the slim crowd there for the opening of the great tariff debate has always attracted not only the Washingtonians but spectators from a distance. When the debate on the Mills bill began there was a great crush, and seats could not be procured for love nor money. Before the debate began Mr. Mills, in lieu of ex-Speaker Carlisle, who is in the hospital attending the funeral of the late Senator Beck, made a vigorous and effective speech. He made an appeal for general debate (four days) and referred with pardonable pride to the fact that the democrats gave twenty-three days during the great debate of 1888; but of course it was never expected that the republicans would heed remonstrance. They will carry out their "hurry up" programme, pass the bill, then turn it over to the senate for burial.

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METHODISTS MEET

IN REGULAR QUADRENNIAL CONFERENCE IN ST. LOUIS.

BISHOPS PASTORAL LETTER READ.

They Recommend the Admission of Japan as a Conference—Three New Bishops Probable.

St. Louis, May 7.—[Special.]—The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church south met in this city today at 9 a. m. Bishop John C. Keener, of Louisiana, the senior bishop of the church, presided, and opened the conference with religious exercises aided by the other bishops.

The eight bishops of the church were present and on the platform, namely: Bishops Keener, Wilson, Grauberry, Hargrove, Duncan, Galloway, Hendrix and Key.

Over three hundred delegates are present. Rev. Dr. W. P. Harrison, the book editor of the church, and a native of Georgia, was elected secretary of the conference. Rev. Dr. Candler, of Georgia, was elected first and assistant secretary. Drs. Tigert and Mason were elected assistant secretaries.

There are delegates here from an area of country stretching from Maryland to the Pacific coast; two from China and two from Brazil.

THE CHINA MAN PRESENT.
Rev. C. K. Marshall, from China, is a native Chinaman, and sits in the body clothed in the Chinese costume. He seems to be a very intelligent man.

Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, read the quadrennial pastoral address of the bishops.

THE BISHOPS' LETTER.
The pastoral letter is very lengthy and relates to the affairs of the church at home and abroad. Among the more interesting features of the letter are the following:

The conduct of the affairs of the church during the quadrennial period has been attended with as little difficulty as can be expected under any system understood by men.

A few excellent preachers have been faithful, and have won many souls to the kingdom of God. A close inspection and more vigorous application of the discipline would, perhaps, have brought to light offenses that have escaped publication and censure, but it may be questioned if, in any age or under any conditions, the church has enjoyed greater freedom from the vices and sins that dishonor humanity and exclude from the kingdom of God.

As a whole the attitude of the church has been faithful, and we commend our system as thoroughly effective and suited to the conditions and needs of our widely extended territory. Before referring specially to the institutions and enterprises of the church we should take note of its estimated forces and increased since the last general conference. Four years ago there were reported in the general minutes 1,406 traveling preachers of which number 3,885 were effective. The reported last year shows 4,862 of which 4,265 are effective, an increase of 456 in the itinerant ranks. The local ministry has grown in the same period from 5,943 to 12,300, an addition of 6,357. There were, according to the minutes of 1885, 180,645 members. The last returns gave 1,161,019, an increase of 1,835,384. The whole number of preachers and members at present is 1,177,150.

The last general conference directed the college of bishops to include foreign missions in their plan of visitation, and to give them, in connection with the church at home, immediate supervision.

In compliance with this requirement China, Japan and Brazil have each been visited twice by the annual tour of the bishops, and the measure, in China our oldest, and we must consider it our most important mission, we are suffering for want of men.

Japan, our latest mission, has been so completely and effectively organized, and has wrought so successfully, that its members feel impelled to ask that they be admitted into the annual conference. The thoroughness of our administration, and the reasons given in the memorial, seem to us to justify the petition. We recommend that it be granted. The missions in Mexico and Brazil are making steady progress, and the board of missions, which has general supervision, by the fidelity, painstaking and practical wisdom with which it has discharged its functions, proved itself worthy of the confidence imposed upon it.

The board of the women's board of missions deserves your attention. In China and Brazil, in Mexico and on the border and in the Indian territory in the schools under their care, through the Bible, the women, by hard work, have diligently ministered to the wants of the women and children and prepared the way of the Lord. Much of the success of our regular missionary service is due to their efforts, and in many places this form of work has become indispensable.

The literary enterprises, of our time constitute a positive threat to the manhood and womanhood of the coming generation. All the worst and vilest elements of life are pushed forth daily from the press in the attempt to gratify the passions and the pride, and no means of security appears to us except that which is found in thorough Christian education.

The two Georgia delegations occupy prominent places in the conference room, and have large influence in the conference. The conference will sit about twenty or twenty-five days. It numbers among its delegates some of the ablest divines of the south, and some of the most prominent laymen of the country.

Governor Seay, of Alabama, made a clear, forcible speech today.

The address of welcome, by Rev. Dr. Matthews, was very fine, and the response thereto by Bishop Keener, was very happy.

The standing committees were appointed to-day, and the conference will get fully to work tomorrow or next day.

THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

The Annual Diocesan Assembly in Milledgeville.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The Episcopal convention of the diocese of Georgia met this morning in St. Stephen's church, Right Rev. Bishop John W. Beck with presiding.

The services were opened by the celebration of the holy communion by the bishop, assisted by Revs. Williams, Pond and Hunter.

THE OPENING SERMON.
The opening sermon was preached by Rev. W. D. Powers, of St. Paul's church, Macon. His text was taken from the sixth chapter of First Kings and seventh verse, and the sermon was a beautiful lesson, drawn from the building of the temple in a work for the king where everyone had a part.

At the conclusion of the devotional services, the organization was perfected, and the different committees were appointed. The convention then adjourned until this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the reports from several committees were read.

The report of the committee on credentials was read and adopted. The report of the trustees of the University of the South was received, and was very gratifying to the convention. An unusual amount of interest was manifested toward this institution throughout the diocese, and the report was regarded as excellent. Rev. W. D. Powers, an alumnus of the university, made the report which was referred to the committee of finance.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT.
The report of the treasurer on domestic missions was the brightest report ever known in the history of the church. This report, made by Rev. Mr. Reese, to whose untiring zeal and devotion, is due the splendid showing made, showed that all of the missions had been paid up, and that more than a thousand dollars was in the treasury.

The report of the officers of the corporations was read by Mr. Z. D. Harrison, of Atlanta, and were referred to the committee on the state of the church.

Rev. Mr. Funsten, of St. Philip's parish, Atlanta, then read the report on unfinished business, which will be taken up later.

THE ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH MATTER.
The most important matter that will come before the convention was then introduced by Rev. Mr. Funsten, of St. Philip's church, in the shape of a petition to the convention, asking that body to pass certain resolutions looking toward a settlement of the question as to the status of that parish, which has been an irritable matter between that church and the diocese for several years. Mr. Z. D. Harrison, of Atlanta, seconded the motion in a warm speech favoring the resolution.

Bishop Beckwith, left the chair and spoke in their favor, and urged that they be passed unanimously.

Rev. Chauncy Williams, of Augusta, and others made speeches favoring them. There was some objection to the resolutions on account of some technical phrase, but when brought to a vote they were passed by a practically unanimous vote.

The meeting adjourned to meet again at 8 o'clock, when the new canons on diocese and missions were discussed. Bishop Beckwith's address will be delivered at 11 o'clock tomorrow. There are about 100 delegates in attendance and a great deal of business to be disposed of. The convention will adjourn Friday morning.

FIELD DAY IN ATHENS.
ATHENS, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—University field day was a brilliant success, and was highly enjoyed by quite a large crowd who were present. A most thorough programme was presented, and everything was carried out in splendid style. Below is the record made in each event:

A BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE

WHICH NORTHERN NEWSPAPER WORKERS PAY TO MR. GRADY.

The Floral Design Which the Washington Correspondents Had Placed at the Tomb of the Man Whom All Loved.

One of the most touching and appropriate tributes paid to the memory of Mr. Grady was that of the Washington correspondents who visited Atlanta a few days ago.

It is a beautiful floral design, completed yesterday by Wachenford, the Atlanta florist. The accompanying cut shows the design. Nothing more beautiful has ever been seen in Atlanta.

The proposition to raise a fund for a tribute to this sort was made in August by Mr. Charles T. Towle, Washington correspondent of the Boston Traveler. This is a republican paper, and published in the city where Mr. Grady made his last and most famous speech.

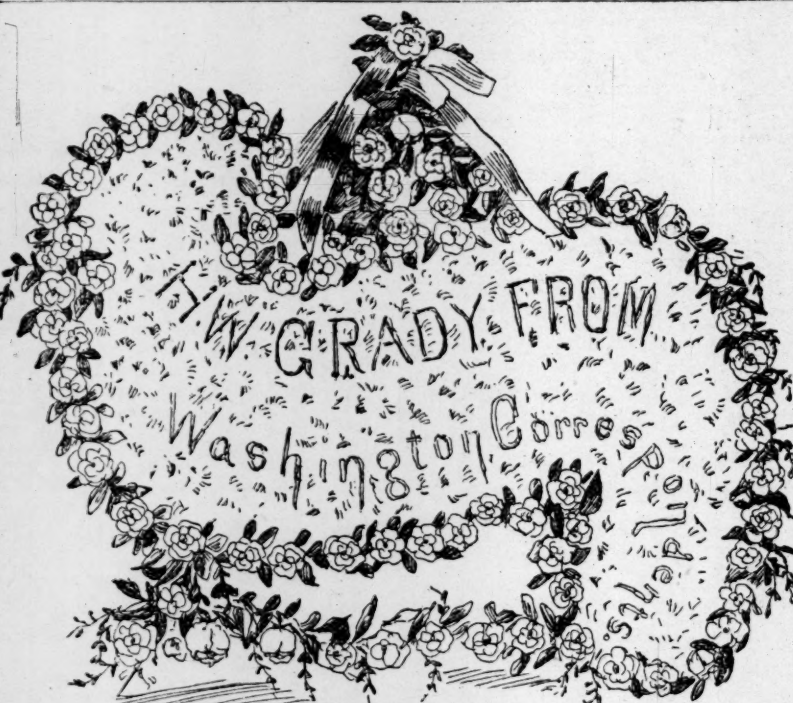
The idea was carried out, the fund was raised within a few minutes, and Mr. Clark Howell, Jr., of the Constitution, was requested to purchase the tribute and place it upon Mr. Grady's grave.

The following note accompanied the fund: Mr. Clark Howell: On behalf of the Washington correspondents visiting Atlanta May 3d 1890, I have the pleasure of handing you a purse with the request that you purchase a floral tribute, and place it upon the grave of Henry W. Grady, as a slight token of our affection and admiration.

Regret was very generally expressed by the correspondents that they were unable to come in a body and place it themselves upon the grave.

The design has been carried out.

Yesterday it was placed by loving hands at the door of the vault where Mr. Grady's body is lying at Oakland.



COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

A Regular Meeting Held Yesterday Morning.

The county commissioners held a quiet meeting yesterday.

A resolution calling upon the contractor of the new Chattahoochee river bridge to begin work was adopted.

Fred J. Myers was awarded the contract for putting in new iron cages at the county jail. His bid was \$644.

W. P. Hill presented a bill for \$125 for assisting solicitor Charlie Hill in prosecuting the men tried for the East Point riot. The bill was approved. One hundred and twenty-five dollars has already been paid, the total charge by Messrs. Mayson & Hill and R. H. Adams being \$250.

Howell's Mill road was ordered macadamized from the Belt junction, a distance of three-fourths of a mile.

Mrs. Charles Handy was authorized to name the road from the Boulevard to Ponce de Leon "Handy avenue."

The people living near the oleomargarine works complained of the condition of South Pryor street, caused by the dump line. The board will go out and inspect the street in person.

For the month of April the county treasurer's report showed that \$4,800.01 had been received, and that a balance of \$25,328.51 was in the treasury on May 1st.

The county physician's report showed twenty-six prisoners sick for the month.

A number of other minor matters were passed upon by the board.

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

The Good Work Is Going Bravely On Among the Ladies.

The good work of the ladies who are interested in the Home for the Friendless goes bravely on.

At least \$30,000 has been raised of the desired fund of \$100,000 with which it is intended to fund the institution.

This morning there will be a meeting at the Home and all the lists possible will be presented at the meeting. Those that are not handed in at the morning meeting will be presented to a meeting of a committee of the ladies who will meet at the Young Men's Christian association parlors this afternoon.

It is a noble work, and the efforts of these benevolent ladies have been most generously seconded by the charitable people of the city.

Convention on the 20th.

MACON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The date for the convention of the melon-growers of Georgia at Macon is the 20th instant. It will be a very important meeting. Manager Skidde, of the Middle Georgia Fruit and Vegetable exchange, has received notification from Commissioner Slaughter that a reduced fare will be granted to all growers in attendance on the convention.

A New City Editor.

MACON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Mr. L. M. Ward, of Atlanta, spent yesterday in the city. He will return next week to assume control of the local department of the Telegraph.

Mr. Ward is a gentleman of extensive travel and wide information, and will find a cordial welcome to Macon.

The Red Men Meet.

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The great council of Red Men of Alabama met in annual session at Summerville, in Phenix City, Ala., just across the river from Columbus, yesterday. An interesting session was also held today and tonight. A grand parade of Red Men, headed by a brass band, took place in Columbus, after which Red Jacket tribe, of Phenix City, gave the grand council a banquet, to which Creek tribe, of Columbus, was invited.

Look out for the pictures! We propose to present in THE CONSTITUTION the picture of every boy and girl that brings in a list of subscriptions to the Elephant fund amounting to ten dollars.

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THE NEW ISSUE

WHICH MAY BE INFUSED INTO CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS.

The Meeting of the Georgia Temperance Association at the Chamber of Commerce Today—Features of the Sessions.

A question that comes up for discussion by the state temperance convention, which meets in Atlanta today, may figure prominently in Georgia politics.

That question is brought up by the recent decision of the United States supreme court in the "original packet case" from Iowa. "Whenever," says the opinion of the chief justice, "the law of a state amounts essentially to the regulation of commerce, as it does; when it inhibits, directly or indirectly, the receipt of an imported commodity, or its disposition before it has ceased to become an article of trade between one state and another, it comes in conflict with the power which, in this particular, has been exclusively in the general government, and it is, therefore, void."

Justice Gray, in the dissenting opinion on behalf of himself and Justices Harlan and Brewer, says:

"The consequence must be that an inhabitant of any state may, under pretext of interstate commerce, and without license or supervision of any public authority, carry, or send into, and sell in any or all the other states of the union, introducing liquor of whatever description in cases or kegs, or even in single bottles or flasks, despite any legislation of those states on the subject, although his own state should be the only one which had not enacted similar laws."

"That decision," explained a prominent prohibitionist, "transfers the matter of temperance legislation from the state legislature to the national congress. To be effective, then, popular conviction in the matter must be represented in congress. The prohibition-

ists, working on this idea, may be led to take an active part in congressional nominations and elections, endorsing candidates that are in accord with their views on this question, or putting out candidates of their own."

The action of the convention in this matter will be awaited with interest.

President Pringle was asked tonight about this feature of the convention's work.

"The matter will, in all likelihood, come up," he said. "We hope that the Kerr bill before congress will be passed, as that will accomplish the result we aim at; but if it isn't, the sentiment in favor of sending temperance men favoring our views will be strong. But of course no congressman, no matter what his views, will vote against his state controlling this local option matter."

Today's Meeting of the Association.

The Georgia Temperance Association will convene in the chamber of commerce at 10 o'clock this morning, and will be called to order by Hon. C. R. Pringle, president.

The services will be opened with prayer by Rev. J. W. Lee, D. D.

An address of welcome will be delivered and responded to by representatives of the Good Templars, the Woman's Christian Temperance union, and President Pringle, of the association.

Hon. Walter B. Hill, of Macon, will deliver the annual address.

After the appointment of committees a recess will be had for dinner.

Executive committee of the association will reconvene, and reports from counties, lodges, unions and other organizations will be in order.

New business will be transacted, and at night a public meeting will be held and addresses delivered.

Tomorrow the session will open at 9 o'clock, with prayer by Rev. A. T. Clarke, editor of the Southern Congressionalist.

After the transaction of unfinished business the roll will be called for reports. New business and the reports of committees will be in order, and at 1 o'clock a recess for dinner will be had. The afternoon session will be devoted to unfinished business, new business, and the election of officers.

The following are the officers of the association: Hon. C. R. Pringle, Sandersville, president. W. G. Whidby, Kirkwood, secretary. W. A. Hansell, Atlanta, treasurer.

Executive committee:—Hon. W. H. Felton, Cartersville; A. E. Buck, Atlanta; J. B. McGee, Talbotton; Walter B. Hill, Macon; state at large: Hon. J. H. Estill first district; Thomas White, second district; J. P. Wood, third district; A. D. Freeman, fourth district; J. G. Throver, fifth district; J. A. Hunt, sixth district; L. N. Trammell, seventh district; Rev. J. G. Gibson, eighth district; Hon. G. N. Lester, ninth district; Rev. W. L. Kilpatrick, tenth district.

The Georgia lodge of Good Templars has selected the following delegates to the convention:—Captain W. A. Hansell, Hon. J. D. Cunningham, Rev. J. W. Lee, Rev. C. J. Oliver, J. M. Miller, E. B. Sciala, J. W. Cooper, J. W. Hays, W. A. Foster, J. W. Greiger, Prof. DeWitt C. Ingle, C. W. Sampler, W. G. Whidby, J. G. Throver.

Quite a number of ladies interested in the temperance work will be present. The W. C. T. U. is particularly interested in the results of the meeting, as the following telegram received yesterday, goes to show:

ROME, Ga., May 7.—To Mr. James G. Throver, I. O. G. T.: Thanks of the W. C. T. U. for kindly greetings. We are with you in your position in regard to license. We will be at your convention Friday.

Mrs. W. C. SIBLEY.

Two Houses Burned.

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 8.—[Special.]—A fire at 4 o'clock this afternoon destroyed two nice residences, cor. Eighth street and Fifth avenue, belonging to Max Simon. The houses were just completed, and had never been occupied.

Look out for the pictures! We propose to present in THE CONSTITUTION the picture of every boy and girl that brings in a list of subscriptions to the Elephant fund amounting to ten dollars.

COMING, YES COMING!

THAT ELEPHANT IS ONE DAY NEARER ATLANTA.

And the Little Ones Are All Anxiously Waiting for Him—Yesterday's Subscribers to the Fund—Some Little Workers.



AURELIAN COOLEGE.

in most for the fund.

Mr. Oscar Weinmeister, aged ten, is the oldest of the lot.

Master Aurelian Coolege, aged four, and his six-year-old brother, Master Fred Coolege, are the other two.

Below is given a summary of the work yesterday:

Warren Estlerly Hall's list for the elephant fund:

Gertrude Hall.....25 James R. Hall.....25

Max Hall.....25 B. M. Hall.....25

Total.....\$100.00

Frederick and Aurelian Coolege's list:

C. K. Buzbee.....25 J. N. Moody.....50

Cherry Runners.....25 Aline Patterson.....25

Narcissa Fears.....25 Aline Patterson.....25

Girard Glenn.....25 Lula Battle.....25

"One Who Loves".....25 Spalding Spicer.....25

John Newbern.....25 C. J. Hunter.....50

FROM ONE WHO LOVES THE CHILDREN:

ATLANTA, Ga., May 7.—Editors Constitution: I wish to make a small contribution to the "Elephant fund."

I am not a resident of your city, but knowing how much the children love a "zoo" and how many of them are innocent and instructive amusement to them, I feel that without the big elephant the zoo is not complete.

I must help the good Oskar Weinmeister, cause out a little. If every man in Atlanta today will think of the moment of his boyhood days and how much the elephant put to him then, he will put his financial shoulders to the wheel and see that the bright little boys and girls of Atlanta have an elephant, and have a good one.

George Muse.....25 Eddie Payne.....25

W. W. Orr.....25 Mose Harper.....25

E. S. Lumpkin.....25 S. C. Callaway.....25

John Fontaine.....25 Marion Peel.....25

Sarah Peel.....25 Lawson Peel.....25

ADDED UP.

Yesterday's subscriptions amounted to \$20.50.

There have been subscriptions acknowledged already amounting to \$31.45, making a total of \$51.95.

THE CONSTITUTION will acknowledge all subscriptions handed in and give every day, from now on, the complete amount in hand.

Not only that—

It will publish the picture of every little boy or girl who hands in a list of ten dollars or more.

FRED COOLEGE.

And the elephant fund picture gallery will be something worth saving.

Last of all—a picture of the elephant. He's coming.

Ocmulgee Navigation.

MACON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The Ocmulgee Navigation company is an organization that expects to run a line of boats between Macon and Brunswick, as soon as the government makes the stream navigable between Hawkinsville and Macon, which it is preparing to do as soon as possible. This line of boats will, no doubt, pay handsomely, and will bring a great deal of business to Macon. The Ocmulgee navigation means reduced freight rates for Macon, and the railroads know it.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

HARTWELL, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The people of Hartwell are mourning the death of a young man, who was killed by a train on the Georgia coast line. He was a popular young man, and his death was a great loss to the community.

The picture of every boy or girl that brings in ten dollars in subscriptions to the Elephant fund will appear in THE CONSTITUTION. Look out for the portraits!

Horrid Torture.

This is often felt in every joint and muscle of the body by people who, experiencing the earliest stages of rheumatism, neglect to arrest the malady, as they may easily do, with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a professionally authenticated remedy for the agonizing complaint. Rheumatism that rheumatism unchecked often lasts a lifetime, or abruptly terminates it when the malady attacks the heart. The Bitters also remedies chills and fever, dyspepsia and liver complaint.

Many, Many Years.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing SYRUP, for children teething, has stood the test of many years, and never known to fail. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Syrup of Figs.

Produced from the laxative and nutritious juice of California figs, combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system, acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds and headaches, and curing habitual constipation.

GRATUITOUS ADVICE.

This species of advice is not always acceptable, but in many instances much benefit would be derived were it acted upon. No section of the country is exempt from disease. To know the best means of combating this common enemy, with the least injury to our pockets and taste, is certainly a great advantage. We must expect Tetter Liver, Constipated Stomach, Rheumatism and Inactive Bowels, and all other ailments, will supply themselves with Tetter's Pills, which stimulate the system, expelling colds and determining a healthy flow of bile, thus regulating the bowels and causing all unhealthy secretions to flow off in a natural manner. "An ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure." Be advised and use

Tetter's Liver Pills,

Price, 25c. Office, 39 & 41 Park Place, N. Y.

MAISON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Colonel John Milledge, of Atlanta, will be in Macon tomorrow to inspect the Macon Hussars at 3 o'clock.

Tomorrow Lieutenant Artope will go to Easton to inspect the Putnam Rifles, and on Monday next he will inspect the Dublin Light Infantry.

Colonel Wiley will inspect the Macon Volunteers tomorrow night. He has already inspected the Floyd Rifles this week.

The fund to build an armory for the Southern Cadets is growing. Over \$2,000 has been subscribed. The committee will commence in a few days to make a canvass of the town for subscriptions. It has been suggested that the city give the Cadets a site for the armory.

JA Marriage.

MACON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Mr. Lee Watson, of Macon, and Miss Minnie Peters, of Crawford county, wedded in marriage today at the residence of the bride.

SKIN DISEASES

Tetter Cured by S. S. S.

I used Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) about three years ago for an aggravated case of Tetter, and was cured sound and well with three bottles. I have had no return of the annoying disease since. I tried various other remedies before using S. S. S., but they failed to cure me or benefit me in any way. OLYN C. FOGLE, Fairfield, Ill.

Had Tetter from Childhood.

"I was troubled from childhood with Tetter in my hands, for which I tried various blood remedies, but without receiving any benefit. I took three bottles of S. S. S., and am now entirely well. For this I feel grateful to the manufacturers of S. S. S., and will never tire in saying a kind word in its behalf." WALLACE MANN, Mannville, Ind. Ter.

Firm of B. F. Mann & Son.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively Cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Discomfort from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER, &c. They regulate the Bowels and prevent Constipation and Piles. The smallest and easiest to take. Only one pill a dose. Purely vegetable. Price 25 cents.

CARTER'S MEDICINE CO., Prop'rs, New York.

ESTABLISHED 100 YEARS.

15 INTERNATIONAL AWARDS.

PEARS' SOAP

The Purest, Most Economical and best of ALL SOAPS.

OF ALL DRUGGISTS, BUT BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

Buy your lot today right in the central part of the city. Sale begins at 3 o'clock on Mills, Orme, Hunnicutt and Alexander streets. \$500 invested here may double in one year. H. L. Wilson.

Money to Loan.

\$100,000 TO LOAN—ON FIRST MORTGAGE OF APPROVED SECURITIES, in sums to suit. Apply to Percy W. Ross, 47 E. Alabama st.

MONEY TO LOAN—FARM AND CITY LOANS negotiated without delay. Low rates. Francis Fontaine, 48½ Marietta st.

MONEY TO LOAN IN AMOUNTS TO SUIT borrowers, from \$100 up, at 8 per cent, payable in installments. Atlanta Banking Co., No. 3 Kimball house, Wall street.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY. Wm. C. Hale, room 3, Gould bldg., apt. 13-14.

C. L. PARKER NEGOTIATES REAL ESTATE loans at low rates. Room 32, Traders' bank building.

MONEY TO LOAN—SOUTHERN HOME Building and Loan Association, over New bank, all for pamphlet.

MONEY TO LEND AT LOWEST RATES ON city or farm lands in adjoining counties, long or short time, or by installment to suit borrower. Money here, so no delay. S. Barnett, 155 E. Broad street.

Wanted—Agents.

GENERAL AGENTS MAKE FROM \$3,000 TO \$10,000 per year; canvassers from \$4 to \$10 per day, selling the Taylor adjustable shoe. Every lady is a possible customer; permanent business; exclusive territory assigned. Address, with stamp, Consolidated Adjustable Shoe Co., Salem, Mass. may 8 4w thr sat tue

LADY AGENTS COINING MONEY—WONDERFUL new rubber undergarment; sells itself. Free trial. Address Little & Co., 216 Clark street, Chicago, Ill. jan9-dif

AGENTS—WANTED ON SALARY. \$75 PER month and expenses paid any active man or woman to sell our goods by sample and live-on. Salary paid promptly and expenses in advance. Full particulars and sample case free. We need few sales. Address Standard Silverware Co., Boston, Mass. 3m

Machinery for Sale.

BOILERS—16 SECOND HAND BOILERS and Engines, and twenty-three new Boilers and Engines bargains. Casey Bros., Chattanooga. Mch 22-dif

For Sale—Miscellaneous.

CHOICE CHRYSLER—DELIVERED at \$1 per dozen post paid on receipt of price. Mrs. Warder, Griffin, Ga.

FOR SALE—A FULL SET, 28 VOLUMES, of American Cyclopaedia, in sheep, good as new. Original cost \$5. Will sell at a bargain. J. F. Faber, 25½ Whitehall street.

FOR SALE—STEAM LAUNCH, GOOD AS NEW, 32 feet long; 6 H. P. Shipman engine; 25 miles per hour; complete; cheap. Address P. O. Box 382, Atlanta, Ga.

INJECTORS—GEO. R. LOMBARD & CO., AUGUSTA, Ga., are headquarters for the best and cheapest water. jan6-tf tin

Ladies' Column.

NEATNESS CLEANED, CURLED AND DYED; also kid gloves cleaned. Phillips, 141 Marietta street. sun, wed, fri

Huza Trunk Factory

HAS REMOVED TO 36 SOUTH PRYOR ST., in Surgical Institute building.

BRING YOUR OLD SAMPLE CASES TO HUZA and have them repaired, at 36 South Pryor street, in Surgical Institute building.

HAVE YOUR TRUNKS REPAIRED AND COVERED at 36 South Pryor street, in Surgical Institute building.

HAVE YOUR SAMPLE CASES AND TRUNKS made to order to suit you at Huza's, 36 South Pryor street, in Surgical Institute building, opposite the top rail

DELICIOUS, STRENGTHENING TO THE NERVES.

Tea and coffee cheer but do not nourish. They even leave an injurious effect upon the nervous system. Indeed there is no beverage like

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA,

"BEST & GOES FARTHEST."

It stimulates and nourishes as none other, leaves no bad effects and is a flesh-former of the most approved type.

22-VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA ("once tried, always used"). The strong may take it with pleasure, and the weak with impunity. The exciting effects of tea and coffee are obviated by its steady use, and nervous disorders are relieved and prevented. Delicious to the taste. "Largest sale in the world."

ASK FOR VAN HOUTEN'S AND TAKE NO OTHER.

Mercury and Potash Poison.

Build Up Your Health.

A General Breaking Down.

After suffering for years from a general breaking down of the system, and after trying various proprietary medicines, without receiving any benefit, I commenced taking Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) by the advice of my physician. The medicine benefited me in every way. I increased in flesh, my appetite improved, and my general health was better in every particular. I do not hesitate to say that it is the best medicine I have ever tried.

MAHALEY TURPIN, Oakland City, Ind.

Its Effect was Magical.

I have been using Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) as a blood medicine in my family with the very best results. It cured one child sound and well of a severe attack of malaria. For another child that was weak, and in general bad health, its effect was magical. It has built him up and improved him in every way. It is the best family medicine I ever used.

JULIUS MCCLINTOCK, Mt. Carmel, Ill.

R. R. ROUSE, Dealer in Machinery, 31 and 33 West Maryland street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

For Sale—Real Estate.

FOR SALE—NO. 37 MERRITT'S AVE., SEVEN room house, gas and water. Apply to Porter King, 41 Merritt's ave., or 9½ Peachtree.</

DEPTFORD, MARION CO., TENN.

34 Miles West of Chattanooga, on the N. C. & St. L. R. R., on the Tennessee River, at the Mouth of Sequachee Valley.

NEW YORK, April 30.—To Irving A. Evans, Chattanooga: East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Board of Directors have authorized the construction of the road from Stevenson to Chattanooga, as the same has been approved by the stockholders at their general meeting at Knoxville, April 15, 1890.

The above dispatch announces officially that the Memphis and Charleston Extension will be built at once. It will run through DEPTFORD, as it crosses the mouth of the Sequachee Valley, in the heart of the COAL and IRON of the Cumberland Mountains. This is NO EXPERIMENTAL CITY. Here, within a radius of one mile, are three furnaces of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway Co., the Mammoth Harvest Stove Works, Pipe Works, Machine Shops, Saw Mills, etc.

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Since April 23d the Company has sold a limited number of lots at low prices. Tomorrow the price will be advanced 20 per cent, which will be continued during the week, until the GREAT SALE OF LOTS, on

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, May 12 and 13. — **T. A. FRIERSON, Auctioneer.**

One-half the proceeds of the sale will be applied to improvements. Terms of sale, one-fourth cash; balance in one and two years. Six per cent discount for cash payment in full. To all purchasers to the amount of \$1,000 or more, a credit will be allowed for the amount of railroad ticket to and from its point of issuance. A special train will leave the Union Depot, Chattanooga, on the days of sale at 9:30 a. m.; returning, leave Deptford at 5 p. m. Fare, round trip, \$1.05. One and one-third fare on all roads. Inquire of

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MRS. CULLOM'S COWHIDE

WITH WHICH SHE WALLOPED A DRY GOODS CLERK.

Who Was Not Quite as Polite as She Wished Him to Be—An Imaginary Insult Has Serious Consequences to Both Parties.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The Cullum-Fantel cowhiding still excites public interest.

When Mayor Schwarz called the case in the police court this forenoon, Messrs. Altmayer and Adler and Mr. and Mrs. Cullum and Mr. Fantel were all there. Mr. Cullum said that he desired to get a lawyer, and asked the mayor to continue the case until tomorrow, and that was done.

SHE IS BUILT FOR STRENGTH.

Mrs. Cullum is a fine-looking brunette of perhaps twenty-five years, and has a strong figure. Any man would be justified in getting out of the way of such a woman when angry and armed with a cowhide. Mrs. Cullum sat in a chair on the back piazza of the barracks for a quarter of an hour this forenoon.

Speaking of her action yesterday, she said: "I was insulted, and when my husband spoke to the young man, he denied that he had used insulting language to me. I was not satisfied, and determined to have an apology or revenge. They say I ought to have had regard for his feelings. He ought to have had some for mine. I laid it on well. On Monday afternoon I told him that my husband would see him. Both of us saw him. I got satisfaction and I am willing to pay a fine for it."

THE OTHER SIDE.

Mr. Altmayer made the following statement:

"On Monday night, about closing time, I was attracted to the store entrance by hearing Mr. Cullum demanding an apology from one of our clerks for what seems to have been an imaginary insult. Mr. Cullum, the clerk replied that he had insulted no one, and was astonished that such a charge should be made against him. I stepped outside and apparently pacified Mr. Cullum by stating that if his wife had been insulted in our store by an employee, I would consider it a personal favor if he would bring her to the store and confront the clerk with the charge, and I further stated that if Mrs. Cullum had really been insulted by an employee of the firm, I would discharge that employee at once. Mr. Cullum was apparently satisfied at this, and so the matter ended until yesterday, when Mr. Cullum and his wife entered the store, and without seeing or even inquiring for me, advanced on the clerk and began slapping at him with a raw hide. Mr. Adler and myself rushed between them, and Mr. Cullum was ordered out of the store. Mr. Adler and myself have both investigated the matter, and are fully convinced that the alleged insult to Mrs. Cullum was surely an imaginary one."

THE CLERK TAKES.

Mr. Fantel states that he did not discredit Mrs. Cullum's statement, and told both her and her husband that the matter would be investigated.

"It is our policy always," he added, "to side with the customer until matters of this kind can be investigated. Just such cases are occurring all the time in all stores. Any clerk or merchant will tell you that. No, I was not hurt. I got only one cut, and that was on the shoulder."

The case will come up again before the mayor tomorrow morning.

Soon after leaving the mayor's court, a warrant was served on Mrs. Cullum by Constable Wetherhorn, in which she was charged with assault and battery. She was taken before Justice Naughtin, and gave \$200 bond for an examination. The prosecutor says the case will be pushed to the end.

The picture of every boy or girl that brings in ten dollars in subscriptions to the Elephant fund will appear in THE CONSTITUTION. Look out for the portraits!

WOMEN IN COUNCIL.

The Annual Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

ROME, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The session of the convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was continued today. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Walker, of Birmingham, Ala., and much interesting is taken in their meetings.

Reports from the district secretaries show that the work is growing in interest, and that workers are increasing. Reports were read by Mrs. Richard Webb, of Savannah, on jail work and on other lines; by Mrs. E. T. Miller, of Augusta, and Mrs. Saults, of Kentucky, on work with railroad men; by Mrs. Hankerson, of Augusta, an impressive prayer on social purity. Mrs. W. H. Felton read a splendid paper prepared by an Atlanta lady to Atlanta, during and since prohibition. Mrs. Hume gave an excellent talk on work in India. Miss Missouri H. Stokes, of Decatur, corresponding secretary, read consolidated reports from all the unions.

An interesting address by Mrs. Salina F. Chapin, of South Carolina, to the children, illustrated with object lessons, closed the exercises in the afternoon. In the evening the addresses were by the president, Mrs. W. C. Sibley, of Augusta, whose subject was, "The Appeal," and by Miss Stokes and Mrs. Chapin.

Hung on the Hill Case.

WASHINGTON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Court continues in Wilkes. The jury is hung on the Hill case, having been out about forty-eight hours, but there was a mistrial in this case at the last court, and Judge Lumpkin so far refuses to dismiss them. It is a case of second wife against the children of first wife, and excites very great interest here, which is somewhat intensified by the fact that the oldest of the children came to the trial from a sick bed and is now very ill in Washington.

The Race for the Senate.

MONROE, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The campaign for senator of the twenty-seventh district has opened. Mr. J. E. Nunnally, president of the County Alliance and Colonel B. S. Walker, of Monroe, are the candidates. The race promises to be lively and close.

ASKED TO RESIGN.

The Commissioners of Meriwether Under Popular Censure.

GREENVILLE, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Two months ago the board of county commissioners passed an order forbidding the Macon and Brunswick railroad from crossing the public roads of Meriwether county unless they run the road within one mile of the town of Greenville.

Last Tuesday, May 6th, a majority of the board rescinded their action against the wishes of the people, as indicated by petitions. A meeting was called by the people yesterday in the court-house. W. T. Revell was elected chairman, and Frank Banning secretary. Hon. George J. Martin introduced the following resolutions:

We, the citizens of Meriwether county, in mass meeting assembled, hereby condemn the action of a majority of the board of county commissioners in rescinding their order passed two months ago refusing to allow the Macon and Brunswick railroad to cross certain public roads in this county, unless said road runs within one mile of Greenville, said action not being in accordance with the wishes of a majority of the citizens of this county. We further oppose to the wishes of said 800 citizens of said county, asking that said order be rescinded.

Believing that said majority of said board have not represented the county in this matter, we hereby request said commissioners to hand in their resignation as they do not represent the people who elected them to office.

The resolutions were carried by an overwhelming majority. The board of commissioners consist of Judges W. F. Clay, chairman; D. H. Bullock and T. B. Tigner. The latter voted to rescind their action of two months ago.

GRIFIN'S NEW IRON FOUNDRY.

The Quiet Work Done by a Party of Sensible Capitalists.

GRIFIN, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Some days ago it was decided by a party of Griffin capitalists to form a stock company for the purpose of building an iron foundry. So quietly was the matter kept that it proved a genuine surprise when it became known that the party had all been taken, a site purchased and the charter applied for. Yet such is the case, and in a short while the buildings on a \$50,000 lot at Griffin will be complete. Some of Griffin's most substantial business men and financiers are at the head of the organization, and there is no doubt of its success.

The Morning Call says of it: "The stockholders for the foundry and machine shops held a meeting, and \$50,000 worth of stock having been taken, they will at once apply for a charter. This will be another very important enterprise for our booming city, and will cause thousands of dollars to be put in circulation."

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The New Secretary Elected.

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The directors of the Eagle and Phoenix Manufacturing company held a meeting at the office of the company in this city at noon today. The meeting was called for the purpose of electing a secretary and treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. A. Young. Judge J. S. Bigby, of Atlanta, and Dr. J. W. Mercer, of Georgetown, out-of-town directors, arrived last night to attend the meeting. Major Julian Ransome came over from Macon several days ago to attend the meeting. At today's meeting resolutions of regret relative to the death of Mr. Young were passed. Mr. C. A. Young was elected secretary and treasurer to fill the vacancy. The board then adjourned.

Railroads Seeking Rates.

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—President Duval, of the Florida Railway and Navigation company, of Jacksonville, and other prominent railway men came up on the Columbus Southern road tonight, presumably for the purpose of arranging with Mr. G. Gunby Jordan and General Manager Sam Parrott for mutually agreeable rates, schedules, etc., from Atlanta via Columbus and Albany to Jacksonville and Tampa.

A Union Prayer Meeting in Decatur.

DECATUR, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Thurs day night a union prayer meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church. Friday night a union meeting will be commenced in the same church, which will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Bachman, of Tennessee, assisted by other ministers. All denominations are invited to join in the meetings and take part in the services.

An Editor Takes a Long Trip.

CARROLLTON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Mr. A. B. Fitts, editor of the Times, of this place, left today on a pleasure trip through Texas, and will also visit Denver, Colorado, before returning. He will be gone a month or six weeks.

Look out for the pictures! We propose to present in THE CONSTITUTION the picture of every boy and girl that brings in a list of subscriptions to the Elephant fund amounting to ten dollars.



THE SYMPTOMS OF LIVER COMPLAINT.

Is a bitter or bad taste in mouth, pain in the back, sides or joints, often mistaken for Rheumatism; sour stomach, loss of appetite, bowels alternately constipated and lax, headache, loss of memory, a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; debility, low spirits, a thick yellow appearance of the skin and eyes; a dry cough often mistaken for consumption.

Sometimes many of these symptoms attend the disease, at others very few; but the Liver, the largest organ in the body, is generally the seat of the disease, and if not regulated in time great suffering, wretchedness and death will ensue.

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THE ENTERPRISE OF THE PEOPLE OF NEWMAN.

They Propose to Purchase College Temple and Organize It as a Female School of High Grade.

NEWMAN, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—A movement has been set on foot by certain of our enterprising citizens, to purchase the College Temple property and establish a first-class female college. Six thousand dollars was subscribed in a few hours yesterday, and the entire amount required will probably be subscribed today. Hon. W. B. Berry and the R. D. Cole Manufacturing company headed the list with \$1,000 each, and Captain T. M. Jones with \$500, while fifty other citizens have subscribed amounts ranging from \$200 down. A deep interest is manifested, and there is hardly any question but that the enterprise will succeed.

During the life-time of the late Professor M. P. Kellogg, his honored founder and president, College Temple was one of the foremost institutions of learning in the state, and its alumni are scattered from Maine to Texas. Since the death of Professor Kellogg the institution has been closed, and, as indicated by the movement, referred to, it is the purpose of our citizens to purchase the buildings and grounds from the estate and re-establish the college on a more extensive plan.

It is a magnificent property and most eligibly situated for college purposes. The buildings comprise a dormitory, a laboratory, and numerous annexes to the main buildings, while the college building proper is one of the most commodious and imposing of its kind in the state. The chapel will seat six or seven hundred persons. There are eight acres in the lot, and the improvements cost originally about \$20,000.

Newman is one of the best points in the south for a first-class female college, and would control a large territory from which to draw patronage for a well-conducted institution of this character.

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Afflicted Since a Child. My wife had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia and indigestion for several years, and at eleven years of age, suffering at times the most excruciating agony. Physicians were totally unable to benefit her. I placed her under the treatment of Dr. Evans, and in a few days she was cured. I can now eat and sleep as well as I ever did. I know scores of others whom he cured during his former visit to Atlanta. Very respectfully, 26 Fowler St., P. O. Box 211. J. L. LEATY.

My wife had been as helpless as a babe for one year. She could not turn herself in bed, or sit unsupported when assisted to that position during all that period, from female weakness, nervousness, and indigestion. I visited her six weeks ago and gave her a magnetic treatment, which so far restored her that she arose from her bed the next morning and walked around the room, and a few days she was able to take a carriage and visit him, and is now quite a well woman. We would be pleased to have any one who so desires to call on us and learn of ourselves the apparent miracle Dr. Evans has wrought on her. This lady's address can be had at Dr. Evans' residence, 230 Hunter street, near the corner of the city.

Mr. C. C. Fulton, an old and esteemed resident of Decatur, also stated that he had been very deaf for the past eight years. He applied to Dr. Evans a few weeks ago, and now he can hear almost as well as he ever could. McDaniel street crossing, paralysis of arm cured by three magnetic treatments.

Miss Kate Callahan, residence 230 Hunter street, neuralgia for four years cured by two weeks' treatment after all other modes of treatment had failed. The son of J. W. Eberhardt, residing on Humphrey street, West End, near East Tennessee shops, cured of asthma in its worst form over one month ago.

Mrs. Lindsey, 23 Formwalt street, stated that when she applied to Dr. Evans she was totally deaf in the right ear and quite deaf in the left for the past eight years. Dr. Evans restored her hearing so that she could now hear almost as well as ever. Mrs. H. for twelve years suffered constantly from extreme nervousness, accompanied by constant pain in the head and spine, also other weaknesses, all of which disappeared after a few magnetic treatments by Dr. Evans.

Dr. Evans is a graduate of two different schools of medicine, as is shown by his diplomas, which ornament his reception room. Dr. Evans can be consulted at his parlors, 34 North Forsyth street, from 10 a. m. until 7 p. m. of each day, for a considerable time to come. Consultation free. Magnificent new building.

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until 10 a. m. Monday, May 13, 1890, for the erection of fire engine house No. 5 in the city of Atlanta.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Bruce & Morgan, architects.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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"ATLANTA UNION LAND COMPANY."

The object of said corporation is to acquire and profit to its stockholders. The business to be conducted by said corporation is buying, selling and dealing in real estate, to wit: to acquire, lease and convey the same on such terms and conditions as may be agreed on to its own members or others; to loan its own money; to negotiate loans for any person, natural or artificial, secured by real estate or personal property, and to guarantee the payment of the same when so desired; and to charge such commission for such service as may be agreed on; the capital stock of said corporation shall consist of one hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars per share when fully paid up. The capital stock may be increased by the board of directors, to any amount not exceeding two thousand shares.

That said corporation shall have the right to organize and begin business when three hundred shares have been subscribed. The capital stock shall be paid in cash, monthly installments or otherwise, as may be agreed on by the directors. The corporation, whereof business of said corporation shall be in Atlanta said county, but petitioners desire the privilege of conducting business anywhere, within and without this state.

Petitioners pray that this corporation shall have all the rights and powers set forth in the code and laws of this state incident to such corporations and all powers necessary to successfully accomplish the business of said corporation, within and without the limits of this state.

With all the rights and powers above mentioned and petitioners will ever pray and

FULTON COLVILLE, Petitioner's Attorney.

G. H. TANNER, C. S. C.

Filed in office April 30, 1890.

Georgia, Fulton county.—G. H. Tanner, clerk of the superior court in and for said county hereby certifies that the above is a true copy of the original petition for charter of the Atlanta Union Land Company as appears of record in this office.

G. H. TANNER, Clerk superior court.

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Lots on Alexander, Mills, Orme and Hunnicutt streets sell today at 3 o'clock. Here is the place to place your money where you can't get rent.

H. L. Wilson.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS ARE ASKED FOR CONSTRUCTION of the new Trinity Episcopal church, Columbus, Georgia.

Plans and specifications to be had of Wheeler & Downing, of Atlanta.

Bids reserved to reject any and all bids. Bids are to be opened on the 20th of May.

C. H. HOCHSTETTER, Chairman.

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Notice to Contractors!

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Acworth Hotel Co. until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 20th, 1890, for the erection of a brick hotel building in the city of Acworth, Ga. Plans and specifications can be seen in the office of Bruce & Morgan, architects, Atlanta, Ga., at the office of the undersigned in Acworth, Ga.

L. A. LITCHFIELD, Secretary.

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Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute,

TROY, N. Y.

Examinations for admission to this, the oldest School of Engineering in the United States, will be held in Atlanta, Ga., on June 4, 1890. Candidates will be examined in the following subjects: Spelling, English grammar, geography, arithmetic, algebra, through equations of the second degree, including radicals and in plane geometry. The examinations will be wholly written, and a fee of \$5 will be required of each candidate. Place of examination given about May 25th. See this paper. For further information address

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The Elephant.

Does the Elephant fund move slowly?
You must bear in mind that a sure enough elephant is a ponderous affair. Its movements are slow and deliberate. But it is said that when the animal gets warmed up, it moves with surprising rapidity.

It will be so with the Elephant fund. Its moving slow now, but after awhile, when the people perceive that Atlanta is bound to have an elephant there will be a scramble among them for the privilege of subscribing a quarter apiece. Why, we believe the project will become so popular after awhile that some of our millionaires will be induced to chip in twenty-five cents.

The Charleston News and Courier says the project of raising an Elephant fund is an entirely new departure in journalistic enterprise. Well, THE CONSTITUTION represents the restless and enterprising spirit of Atlanta, and Atlanta is always new and always enterprising. There is no stagnation here. A city that is spending eight millions a year in building, improving and beautifying itself has no time to keep in the big road, as the phrase is. It must take short cuts and do a general hustling business.

We are perfectly willing that the project of getting an elephant for our beautiful park should be regarded as a new departure in journalistic enterprise provided we get the elephant. And as to that, we've just as good as got him now.

The boys and girls who are acting as THE CONSTITUTION'S agents in this matter haven't fairly settled down to work. When they do, the subscriptions will pour in at a rapid rate, and the elephant will come marching into town with a brass-band accompaniment.

There will be a great time for the youngsters at the park when the elephant comes. We are going to try to inaugurate him on the 4th of July, when watermelons are ripe and the weather is suitable for red lemonade.

The elephant is bound to come!

A Legal Reform.

A movement has been projected by the members of the Pittsburg Bar association to reform legal verbiage. That this is a move in the right direction no one will be disposed to doubt. The written law of today is a mass of useless repetitions, and an ordinary deed conveying an acre of ground is so tangled in a tortuous labyrinth of words as to cover more ground than the acre itself, and is almost unintelligible to the ordinary man. The law must be explicit, of course, but it frequently happens that one has to hunt for its meaning in a cloud of words, and a deed of sixty footscap pages could be set forth clearly in six, while they spin their mortgages out to interminable lengths.

The law needs improvement in more ways than one, but in no department more than this. If legal expressions were simplified and abbreviated it would be better for the lawyers and their clients and for the courts, whose proceedings, "long drawn out," are dreary, monotonous and wearying to the flesh.

Some of the best lawyers in the country agree that a reform is necessary, and are willing to subscribe to it; but on this line the Pittsburg Dispatch, which is heartily in favor of the movement, says that there are difficulties in the way, and that the change will have to be made very carefully; and it is the opinion of a learned judge that a test case should be gotten up and the supreme court should pass on it.

It is worth a test, and they will be wise to make it.

A Touching Tribute.

The Washington correspondents who visited Augusta, the other day, in a party forty or fifty strong, signified their visit to Georgia in a graceful and touching manner.

These gentlemen of the press loved Henry Grady in life, and they wished to honor him dead. Debarred the mournful pleasure of visiting his grave during their brief stay in Georgia, they raised a purse to purchase a floral tribute. Yesterday this beautiful offering was placed on the dead journalist's grave. The design represents a large scroll, bearing the inscription: "H. W. Grady, from Washington Correspondents."

It is natural that Mr. Grady should be remembered affectionately by his brethren of the press, and especially by the younger writers. A young man himself, he never lost an opportunity of extending a helping hand and speaking a word of encouragement to those who were trying to make their way in the profession. The Washington correspondents lost a warm-hearted friend when he died, and while they live they will guard his name and fame and cherish his memory. Their spontaneous tribute is just what might have been expected.

An Editorial Excursion.

The New England editors will sail from Boston for Virginia on Sunday next. The excursion will be made up entirely of representatives of the press, who desire to see something of the south, and it is thought that much good will be accomplished by it. The Editors will land at Norfolk, and will go on an inspecting tour through Virginia. But it appears that their visit will be confined to that state alone.

Some time ago, when this New England excursion was taking shape, we commended the motive which prompted it, but suggested that the editors extend their excursion to other states. According to their statement, they desire to obtain a better knowledge of the south and its people; and while they

will learn much from the Virginians, as they tread the historic hills and valleys of the Old Dominion, they can't judge the south by one state.

So we renew the invitation for them to visit us; Georgia, and the rest of the southern states, will extend them a hearty welcome, and they will find it to their interests—as it will be to ours—to get acquainted with us. In Georgia, for instance, they would be quite at home; for here, among her iron hills and fertile valleys, they have a city of their own—a city built and peopled by New England men and bearing New England's name. Let them come and see their namesake and they will see, also, how thoroughly the north and south are united in the brotherhood of man. They should not miss this opportunity.

A Splendid Sale.

The sale of nearly \$2,000,000 of Georgia state bonds, bearing three and a half per cent interest, at par, yesterday, was one event that the people of our state will be proud of.

When we consider what we have passed through since the war, and our condition when the war ended, the sale is certainly a remarkable one. The safe and conservative management of our state affairs by our governors and state-house officers has contributed much to this result, as has the rapid development of the resources of the state, apparent in all quarters. This would not have been a satisfactory sale of the bonds, however, if the men who had charge of their negotiation had been derelict in their duty, as officers of the state. It is an easy matter to bungle a transaction as large as the one just closed, and the variation of the smallest amount in the rate of interest would have created a great difference in the result to the state. Governor Gordon and Treasurer Hardeman deserve the thanks of the people of the state for the admirable manner in which they handle the matter from its inception to its close. They have gotten a rate of interest for Georgia that is not excelled in states where they can get the assistance of the savings banks to buy their securities. In fact, we do not know of a state in the union that has a better credit than Georgia. Another cause of congratulation is the fact that we have southern men in the financial centers of the country who are well acquainted with the condition of affairs in our state, and show their faith by their action. Mr. Calhoun and Mr. John H. Inman have done much for the good of our state, and in making a purchase that will enable the state to secure money as cheap as the government of the United States can get it, they evidence a faith that will be appreciated by every good citizen of Georgia.

A Matter of Business.

The McKinley tariff bill pleases nobody, with the exception of a few favored manufacturers.

In New York the importers have held a meeting and entered their protest against the bill.

The hardware dealers are practically unanimous in opposing it, as they believe that the proposed high protective duties will injure their trade.

Among the crockery dealers there is a big flurry. They know that the monopoly given to a few glassware and pottery manufacturers will hurt their business.

The farmers, in a solid phalanx, are indignant because an attempt is made to draw hundreds of millions of dollars out of their pockets to benefit about fifty manufacturers of fertilizers.

As the discussion of the bill proceeds it becomes plainly evident that a few special classes favor the measure because it is not a tariff bill, but is in reality a high protective system. The masses everywhere are against it.

The New York Evening Post suggests that if republican wisdom is not equal to the task of framing a judicious tariff it would be good policy to let the matter alone. The present tariff with its average duties of fifty per cent would be far less injurious to the country than a reckless system under which some of the duties would jump from forty-five to three hundred per cent.

The McKinley bill is simply indefensible. Our legislative annals do not furnish an instance of a bolder attempt to run the government in the interest of the classes and against the masses.

Our only safety is in going back to the good old democratic policy—a tariff to raise the revenue needed for the economical expenses of the government, with the duties so laid as to prevent the cheap labor of Europe from crushing the industries which are necessary to our existence as an independent people.

We Congratulate Congressman Stewart right in regard to his vote on the copyright bill. He was first reported as not voting. Then his name appeared in the Congressional Record as voting against the bill. Now he says that the clerk of the house made a mistake in recording his vote, and he wants it understood that he voted for the bill.

We are glad of it, and we extend our congratulations to Mr. Stewart. Ordinarily, a congressman need not be congratulated when he votes in line with the intelligent people of his district or state, because it is nothing more than might be expected. But, under the present circumstances, Congressman Stewart and Congressman Lester have won the applause of the intelligent people of Georgia by voting in behalf of national honesty.

That the rest of the Georgia members were stampeded and demoralized by the disgraceful and brutal arguments of Payson, of Illinois, is a fact that cannot be explained on reasonable grounds. The wildest anarchist never went further than Payson did in his harangue against the copyright bill. His argument that it was right to steal from foreign authors was disgraceful enough, for it is an argument in favor of the stealing of all kinds of property. But he did not stop there. He went on to argue that there is no such thing as literary property—that an author has no natural right in the creation of his brain and hand—that he owes what he is to the time and the people. This anarchist argument was potent enough to be applauded and to kill the bill. An author owes no more to his surroundings and to the people than an inventor, who is protected in all lands; nor than a farmer, who succeeds by the labor of his brain and hands.

But the congressional demagogues ap-

planned the brutal utterances and voted against the bill, failing to perceive that the argument that robs the author also robs the farmer. The world goes away into ignorance and demagoguery dance their wild jig to gether.

Once more we congratulate Messrs. Stewart and Lester. The fact that they were not impressed or overcome by Payson's anarchist arguments is worthy of more than a passing notice.

VICTORIA WOODHULL, now Mrs. Martin, arrived in this country the other day, and tried to make Inspector Byrnes, of New York, apologize for some language he had used about her. Mrs. Woodhull Martin is much more particular in these matters than Chairman Quay.

PEOPLE who like to see the children enjoy themselves can show their faith by their works. The Elephant fund is open. Only twenty-five cents.

THE NEW YORK WORLD, after thoroughly investigating the matter, has come to the conclusion that its reporter who interviewed Mr. Cleveland was authorized to print only what Mr. Cleveland had written—and it has permitted the reporter to resign.

EUGENE FIELD says that while he was in St. Louis, he studied French in Venice. This announcement ought to cause a rush to St. Louis.

THE CHARLESTON NEWS AND COURIER thinks Buck would make a good elephant. That is precisely the part Buck's playing. The republican party finds him to be the biggest elephant it has ever had on its hands in the south.

THE PORTRAIT of the boy or girl who collects ten dollars for the Elephant fund will appear in THE CONSTITUTION. We expect to have quite an attractive gallery of pictures.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

MR. EDWARD A. OLDHAM has been engaged by Dr. Lottrop & Co., of Boston, to write a "History of the United States," in the series entitled "Stories of States." Mr. Oldham is a well-known journalist, whose productions have frequently appeared in these columns.

THE farmers of Wisconsin who demand the abolition of the United States supreme court, will probably be joined by the prohibitionists of the city of New York who do not swallow the recent organic package deal.

It is said that twenty-five per cent more cigarettes are smoked in the summer than in the winter.

The new cure for stammering is to keep silent ten days, and then speak in whispers for ten days, gradually returning to the ordinary voice.

THE Chicago Herald says that in every community will be found a class of men of fair intelligence and moderate means who like to serve on juries. From this class the Herald thinks that jurors should be drawn, as men who serve unwillingly do not render good service.

IMAGINATION works wonders. One day when Joe Emmett, the actor, was on a spree a member of his company took him in charge and gave him a drink every half hour. Emmett was braced up, and played the part of a hero in a high spirit. His friend had tricked him and had not given him a drop of liquor. If imagination will exultate an old toper it will do anything.

SOMEONE AGO it was reported that Labor Commissioner Lee Meriwether, of St. Louis, had made remarks reflecting upon the moral of the west end ladies of that city. Mr. Meriwether repudiates the statement as a baseless falsehood, and proposes to see if there is any virtue in the law of libel. He is a gentleman of character and standing, and does not intend to submit to the publication of sensational items which represent him as the slanderer of the ladies of his city.

THE GEORGIA EDITOR AT HOME.

Editor McGinty and his assistant are doing good work on the Monroe Advertiser.

Editor Steadman is the only editor in the state who does not put an spring-poetry. He seems to think that the readers of the Lithonia New Era can get along without it.

Editor Thaxton, of the Middle Georgia Argus, makes this frank confession:
Upon an editor's cheek a weep
Had settled down to rest,
He brooded there an hour,
And then he broke his bill.

The editor of the Dooley County Vindicator is in luck. He says: "The editor found a dollar, the price of some man's subscription, on the street the other day. 'The Lord will provide.'"

Editor Graves says that editor Branham is the only man who spells and punctuates the "Tribune-of-Rome" correctly. Well, Branham is an ex-school teacher, and there's no excuse for him.

Editor Hilton has associated Mr. Gibbs Gardner, recently of the Milledgeville Chronicle, with him in the conduct and editorial management of the Progress, and with the addition to the force, trusts to be able to get out such a paper as Sandersville and Washington county will be proud of.

W. Trox Bankston, of the Ringgold News South, goes to Cuba on a fair Senator's tour.

"I will describe the prettiest sceneria I observed, and then close for the present. She wore a charming Spanish costume, beside which one of Worth's costumes would pale into insignificance. The woman was a beauty, being the supreme expression of the type of loveliness peculiar to the island. A peculiar face, yet irresistible. Ivory in tint and texture was her complexion. While the features were of exquisite delicacy, giving a softness to the whole, the eyes were of a deep, dark, and sparkling blue, and her hair was of a rich, dark, and wavy texture, and as faultless as the sea. Slightly above the medium height her figure was as faultless as that of Venus, and withal she was graceful as a fawn, and danced like a fairy to the strains of music."

POLITICAL POINTS.

—Jackson Argus: We have been looking around trying to find a candidate for the last few days, but have failed so far to find one. We would like to know if Mr. E. M. Hooten wouldn't represent Butts in the next legislature if we wanted him.

—Gwinnett Herald: DeKalb county has only nineteen prospective candidates for the legislature. This is a free country and one of the inalienable rights of a citizen is to be a candidate. The census has not been taken in Gwinnett, but Madame Rumor puts the number at about thirty—two to each military district.

—Athens Banner: The names of Messrs. J. T. Olive, A. F. Pope, John Moody, Joseph McWhorter and J. B. Latham are connected with the connection with legislative honors in Oglethorpe; while it is said that Messrs. C. H. Wilcher and R. B. Matthews will offer for the senate. It is also rumored that if the Farmers' alliance of the district request Rev. G. G. Gibson to become a candidate for congress he will not refuse their call.

—Thus speaks the Charlton county grand jury: In view of the fact that a judge of the superior court of our circuit is to be elected before another grand jury will assemble in our county, and believing that our people are more than pleased and satisfied with the administration of the law at the hands of Judge Spencer R. Atkinson, and knowing him to be an upright, able and just judge, we earnestly desire to see him remain on the bench, and should he be a candidate for re-election we desire our representative and senator to support him.

—Elberton Gazette: While Lawson, Colley, Foster, Olive and others, who are real and prospective candidates for congress, are all good men, and representing in congress by a real, life-long, genuine farmer, who, like themselves, has borne the heat of the sun between the plow handles. Ex-Senator James M. Smith, of Oglethorpe county, is commended by the masses. Nine-tenths of the alliance of this section prefer him to any one else.

THE BEST EVER MADE

WAS THE SALE OF GEORGIA'S BONDS YESTERDAY.

One Million, Nine Hundred Thousand of the State's Securities Sold to Mr. John H. Inman—Par for 3½ Per Cent.

The state sold yesterday one million nine hundred thousand dollars of the bonds of the state bearing three and one-half per cent per annum, at par.

This is the best sale ever made by a southern state, and has been excelled by but few northern states.

It shows not only that the state has a good reputation in the money centers, but that the governor and Treasurer Hardeman are wide awake and understand how to handle a state bond so as to get the full worth of it.

These bonds take the place of bonds that are bearing seven per cent interest, and it will make quite an item of saving in the interest account of the state.

THE PROPOSALS FOR BIDS.

The following are the proposals for bids submitted by the governor and Treasurer Hardeman: EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF GEORGIA, ATLANTA, Ga., March 23d, 1896. By authority and in pursuance of an act of the general assembly of the state of Georgia, entitled "An act to authorize the governor of this state to issue bonds of the state and to negotiate same, for the purpose of raising money with which to pay an amount of the public debt, which falls due October 1, 1896, not otherwise provided for, and for other purposes connected therewith." Approved March 23d, 1896.

Bids will be received at the treasury of the state, in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, the seventh (7th) day of May, 1896, for—

Series of bonds of the state of Georgia, which shall not exceed in the aggregate one million nine hundred thousand dollars (\$1,900,000) and in the event certain moneys are realized from sale of public property now being advertised, which moneys can only be used in the payment of the public debt; then, said issue to be sold shall be one million nine hundred thousand dollars less the amount realized from sale of said property.

Said bonds to be dated July 1, 1896, and to be of the denomination of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

One hundred thousand dollars of the principal of said bonds to mature January 1, 1901, and one hundred thousand dollars of the principal of said bonds to mature January 1st of each year thereafter, until the series of bonds is exhausted, and shall be payable both principal and interest, at the office of the treasury of the state, in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, and also in the city of New York at such place as the governor may elect.

To each of said bonds coupons will be attached for the interest, which will be paid semi-annually, on the first day of January and July.

The interest on said bonds, under a provision of said act, shall not exceed four per cent per annum, but bids are invited for the entire series bearing a lower rate of interest, viz.: Four (4) per cent per annum, three (3) per cent per annum, two (2) per cent per annum, one (1) per cent per annum, and no bid will be received for less than par.

All bids must be accompanied by a deposit of \$5,000, which will be returned to the bidder if he fails to execute the bonds, or if he fails to make a check for that amount, certified by a solvent bank, approved by the governor and treasurer.

The right is hereby reserved to reject any and all bids, and under a provision of the act authorizing the sale, no bid will be received for less than par.

By the governor: J. B. GORDON, Governor.

By the treasurer: R. H. HARDMAN, Treasurer.

JUST BEFORE THE SALE.

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the rotund form of Hon. R. U. Hardeman, state treasurer, was comfortably seated in the big chair, specially made to fit it, in his private office. Hon. W. Y. Atkinson, of Coweta, had just dropped in to report progress from the county of Coweta and to see how the state's credit was getting on. The handsome face of Humphreys Castelman, the broker, was seen in the background; Hon. J. J. Spaulding was seated in an arm-chair nearly as large as the one the treasurer occupied.

Jack Spaulding's eyes were as bright and keen as a Kentucky racer, and his physical appearance gave every evidence that the recent statement about his failing health was not true. He was gently watching the game as intently as any Kentuckian could watch the top of a driver in an exciting horse race.

Seated in a corner was a fine looking gentleman who looked like a northwestern capitalist. Later it was learned that he came from Chicago.

After a laugh all around at a couple of state anecdotes told by a newspaper man present—in which, however the dreamer did not join because he had a serious job before him—the party was informed that the opening of the bids would not take place until twelve o'clock so as to give plenty of time for no mistakes to be made on account of time. The hour of twelve arrived without further interference or any new bids. The governor came in and Treasurer Hardeman went to his vault and brought three large envelopes copiously covered with sealing wax and addressed according to law.

THE BIDS OPENED.

The treasurer tore open the seal of one and read the bid of George A. Speer, of LaGrange, Ga., who bid par for the whole issue, offering to take them at four per cent. After a careful reading of the bids and a careful inspection of the enclosed check for fifty thousand dollars, as required by the advertisement, Treasurer Hardeman laid them down on the table and picked up the next.

This was a bid from Pat Calhoun, who offered one-sixteenth premium on five hundred thousand dollars of the bonds at three and a half per cent. This was accompanied with the check of Calhoun, King & Spaulding for fifty thousand dollars, duly certified by the Central Railroad and Banking company.

This, in time, was laid down and the remaining envelopes were opened. It contained a bid from John H. Inman for the whole issue at par at three and a half per cent. This bid was accompanied by a check drawn by S. M. Inman for \$50,000, and certified by the Atlanta National bank.

THE INMAN BOND ACCEPTED.

The meeting was dismissed and all retired but the governor and treasurer. After consulting some time it was finally announced that the bid of Mr. John H. Inman was accepted for the whole issue at par for a three and a half per cent bond. Everybody seemed satisfied, and the deal was closed with as little excitement as if the state were only negotiating a loan of a few hundred dollars.

THE LAST SALE OF BONDS.

The last sale of state bonds occurred during Governor McDaniel's administration, and the contract was signed on the fifth day of May, 1885. Fred Wolff and Charles W. Rodgers, of New York, were the purchasers of three million four hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars of state bonds, for which they paid five-sixteenths of one per cent premium on a four and a half per cent bond. This was considered at the time the best negotiation ever made by a southern state, and under the circumstances was a most magnificent sale.

When the prospectus for these bonds was issued, brokers in New York who held some of the old fraudulent bonds issued during the reconstruction period, which had been declared invalid by the legislature after the democrats secured the state government, commenced a vigorous attack upon the state's credit. The state was charged with repudiating its debt, and these invalid bonds were

quoted as regular bonds of Georgia, very low down in fact, everything was done that could be to cripple the credit of the state. THE CONSTITUTION took special pains to answer each one of these attacks on Georgia's credit. Finally the matter was brought before the attorney-general of New York, on a question respecting the rights of savings banks to invest in the bonds of the state of Georgia. Superintendent Hepburn, of the state of New York, had delivered an elaborate opinion, stating why New York savings banks could not legally invest in Georgia securities, stating in conclusion that "a state once in default is always in default," until relieved by payment of the defaulted debt," and "that it was the intention of the legislature of New York, that a state should have an unclouded financial record for at least ten years, in order to render its obligation a proper investment for savings banks."

Parties who were largely interested in Georgia bonds, who had purchased the new bonds, and who desired a decision from the attorney-general that the savings banks of the state of New York could invest in the new bonds of the state of Georgia, were very much interested in the case before the attorney-general of New York. The case was commenced in June, 1885, at Albany, and Judge O. H. Lochrane and Mr. Hutchins, of New York, represented the bulk of the repudiated bonds. The legal battle continued several days, and while the decision was not all that was expected by the friends of Georgia, Mr. Calhoun and Colonel Hammond got in some good facts and an abundance of good law that completely set all question over the state's credit at rest. The new four and a half per cent bonds found a ready sale, and from that day to this they have been increasing in value, until today these four and a half per cent bonds are worth nineteen in the state of New York or anywhere else.

HOW CAPITAL FEELS NOW.

The holders of the invalid old bonds were so badly demoralized over the fight that they have never followed it up, but Governor Gordon and Mr. Treasurer Hardeman, thinking they would be troubled in some way, went to New York a few weeks since and carefully went over the whole matter of the state's indebtedness and the state's credit with leading capitalists there, and it turns out that their trip was of great service to the state.

"I believe," said Governor Gordon this morning, "that I could have floated a three per cent bond of the state of Georgia if I had sold them in small lots and paid a commission to brokers on each sale, but I knew there was risk in it, and I concluded to give it this direction."

"Yes," said Treasurer Hardeman, "I am sure it was the best—we could not beat this sale, and I was satisfied of one thing, we could try it if we had failed to get three and a half per cent bond and commissions would have cost them. Then, if we had failed to get rid of all the issue we would have had trouble with what was left."

It is generally conceded among financial men that the sale of the bonds was a great complement to the state, and that the governor and state treasurer deserves the thanks of all our citizens.

A Talk With Mr. Inman.

New York, May 7.—[Special.]—John H. Inman, in speaking to THE CONSTITUTION correspondent tonight, about his taking the Georgia state bonds, said:

"While it is not generally understood, it is nevertheless a fact, that the credit of the southern states is as good as that of any other states. The new bonds are to take the place of some issued twenty years ago, bearing seven per cent interest. The new bonds are a good investment, as they are exempt from taxation in Georgia, and run for a long time. Georgia is in a sound financial condition, has now reached the constitutional limit of its indebtedness, and its bonds, amounting to about \$8,000,000, are amply secured. Some friends are interested with me in this purchase of bonds."

Look out for the pictures! We propose to present in THE CONSTITUTION the pictures of every boy and girl that brings in a list of subscriptions to the Elephant fund amounting to ten dollars.

New Streets.—The city has a large force of hands at work grading unfinished streets at Inman park. The park is now a lovely place, and is visited by a large number of people.

Exposition Meeting.—There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Piedmont Exposition company this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Several important matters are looked for the meeting, and every member is expected to be present.

Colored Companies Inspected.—Last night, Captain J. B. Hollis, of the Atlanta Zouaves, inspected the Governor's Volunteers and the Georgia Cadets. Atlanta's two colored military companies, at the hall, No. 97 South Broad street.

Mose H. Bentley is captain of the Georgia Cadets and Jackson McHenry is captain of the Governor's Volunteers. Both companies passed a creditable inspection, and Captain Hollis will recommend them to the advisory board.

A Change of Places.—Baillif Kimberly, of the city court, has taken Jailer O'Brien's place at the county jail, and Mr. O'Brien will take his place as bailiff during the incarceration of C. M. Osburn, who is a brother of the jailer.

Another Candidate.—"Mr. Charlie," said a negro to Mr. C. S. Northern a day or two ago, "is you de man what's agine ter run for governor?"

"Yes, Joe, I'm the man. Why?"

"Well, I alus said you'd be sump'n big. I knowed you wouldn't be satisfied wid bein' er common mayor or congressman, an' dat's a fact, sho'."

The English Rifles Disbanded.—The English Rifles have disbanded. Tuesday evening a meeting was held in the recorder's court-room, at the County Jail, of the police commission, was present. He addressed the officers and men, and said that he did not think it good policy to have the men drill during the hours of duty, and thought that they could not well remain as a military organization, and as policemen, too.

Captain Manly then gave the soldiers a talk, and after thanking them for the courtesy shown him, disbanded the company.

A Sick Policeman.—Patrolman George P. Jordan is very ill at his home on McDaniel street, being threatened with pneumonia of the most malignant type. His friends fear that he cannot recover.

Will Come Back to Atlanta.—Dr. Hugh Hagan, who has been for some months in Virginia taking an advanced course in medicine, has finished his studies, and with his family, has gone to Paris. After remaining there two months, they will go to London. In August Dr. and Mrs. Hagan will sail for this country. Dr. Hagan has decided to make Atlanta his home, which will be welcome news to the many friends of Dr. Hagan himself, and of his beautiful and brilliant wife.

Have Got Their Uniforms.—The Grady Cadets have received their new fatigue uniforms. They were made to measure by the Pettibone manufacturing company, and forty-two suits are included in the consignment just received by the Cadets.

The uniform is an exceedingly handsome one, of the finest quality of black broadcloth with two inch buff and gold stripes on the pants, and the coats cut in the latest military fashion. Natty foraging caps, with crossed guns worked in gold on the maroon "G. C." flash off the uniforms. No company in the country has a more handsome uniform. The Cadets are sure to create a sensation when they make their appearance in public.

The picture of every boy or girl that brings in ten dollars in subscriptions to the Elephant fund will appear in THE CONSTITUTION. Look out for the portraits!

A SHOOTING AFFRAY.

MR. BURTON SMITH SHOT AT BY MR. H. J. ROBERT.

The Third Shooting Affair Within Four Days Startles Broad Street and Creates a Sensation in the City.

An attempt was made upon Burton Smith's life yesterday.

H. J. Robert, foreman of the Atlanta Coffin factory, made the attempt, drawing a pistol upon Mr. Smith.

The scene was on Broad street near the northern end of the Broad street bridge. Those who were near by, in describing the affray, say that the report of a pistol rang out, and in an instant Robert was lying

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ATLANTA WINS

AND WILL BE THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE S. T. A.

The Annual Election of Officers—Incidents of Yesterday's Meeting—The Races and the Concert.

The drummers still have the town.

And Sloppy Weather and his associates are "the people."

The third day of the convention was passed in legislative work in the morning, races at the Piedmont park in the afternoon and a complimentary concert at DeGives' opera-house in the evening.

In the Convention Hall.

The convention was called to order in Convention hall at nine o'clock in the morning by Vice-President H. L. Atwater, of Atlanta, President Dean Newman being too ill to attend.

The convention was informed of the president's illness by Mr. Atwater in calling the meeting to order.

"Now, I suggest," said Vice-President At-

water, "that Mr. Sain Weisenger, of the Augusta delegation, be called to the chair."

"Keep it yourself," cried out a half dozen members.

"No, I want to be on the floor where I can talk, work and vote," said Mr. Atwater.

Mr. Weisenger was placed in the chair and at once called for a report from the hotel committee.

"Hold on there," remarked Mr. J. Jones Gardner, Augusta's headless delegate, "we ain't headless. The chaplain is on that stage, and if we don't hear from him before we begin work, we'd just as well throw away our rights' feet."

The chairman apologized and the chaplain prayed.

The hotel committee's report could not be read because the absent president was the chairman and had the report with him.

A committee was appointed to examine the books of the association.

Mr. Vandergrift, of Birmingham, presented a resolution authorizing the payment of a regular salary to an appointed organizer and he was adopted.

"I have a resolution, Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Kennedy of the Macon delegation.

It read:

Whereas, The fact exists that on long reaches of railroads in our state, facilities for local travel are inadequate, and believing that the experiment of local trains on these roads would prove in time remunerative to the railroad and of great benefit to the commercial travelers, therefore, be it

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A resolution was adopted that a committee consisting of one member from each branch be appointed to investigate the feasibility of organizing an insurance company, and that this committee report to the board of directors and the action of the board shall be final.

Another resolution was adopted adding an associate member from each branch to the committee on insurance company.

A resolution was adopted asking the co-operation of the merchants to obtain a two-cent, 5,000-mile ticket on the railroads.

Mr. W. H. Jones, of the Atlanta delegation, sent in a resolution requiring any branch re-

solving concessions of any kind which will benefit any member of the association, that the fact shall be reported to all the branches.

Baggage excess was brought to the surface by a resolution introduced by Mr. Strauss, of the Jacksonville delegation.

Then it was that every man had his speech to make.

"I have been informed," said one in his speech, "that the Savannah, Florida and Western railway has made some concessions to the Savannah men."

"That's not true!" yelled Ward Abrams, springing to his feet. "The Savannah, Florida and Western is about the biggest robber among the southern railroads."

J. E. Watts, secretary of the Atlanta branch, appeared before the convention, stating that he did not ride upon railroad passes, as had been charged by some of those who wanted to bar him from the Atlanta delegation.

"I travel," he said, "upon mileage books and free passes given me in payment for a railroad guide I print."

Mr. C. J. Branan, of the Atlanta post, entered a complaint against the Georgia railroad, claiming that they were making heavy charges on excessive baggage.

The insurance feature came up and the chairman appointed a committee to look into the matter, consisting of:

Atlanta—Clarence Angier and J. G. Oglesby; Birmingham—Fred Jackson and John G. Jordan; Augusta—C. W. Davis and W. L. Douglas; Macon—A. W. Kennedy and J. F. Henson; Savannah—Max Johnson and E. X. Douglas; Rome—C. H. Cochran and H. L. Landwell; Columbus—A. A. Wilcox and M. L. Jones.

Atlanta the Headquarters.

Savannah has been the headquarters of the

association for the past year.

A resolution was introduced making Atlanta the headquarters.

This produced a lively discussion.

Mr. Abrams, the orator of the Savannah delegation, talked himself hoarse in opposition to the resolution.

Macon's delegation was divided.

So was Augusta.

Columbus was for Atlanta.

Likewise Rome.

Birmingham gave her votes to the gate city.

The headquarters came to Atlanta.

And the Savannah representation was angry.

Just at this juncture President Newman entered the hall.

He was cheered lustily as he went upon the stage.

Mr. Weisenger vacated the chair and joined his delegation.

President Newman thumped upon the table, and when quiet was secured, said:

"Richard is himself again."

"So am I," called out Sergeant-at-Arms Sloppy Weather.

Mr. Bean, of Atlanta, moved to proceed with the election of officers and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Corrigan, of Atlanta, secured the floor, and in a neat, pretty complimentary speech presented for the presidency, Mr. Samp Weisenger, of Augusta.

Instantly, Mr. Townsend, of Savannah, was upon his feet.

"Speaking for the Savannah delegation," he said, "I desire to second that nomination. The gentleman named is known by us all and all who know him entertain the highest regard and respect for him."

Mr. Kennedy, of Macon, followed, endorsing the nominee.

Mr. Strauss, of Jacksonville, threw his oratory on Mr. Weisenger's side.

Mr. Knuckles, of Columbus, said his delegation could not improve upon the nomination.

Mr. Parrish, of Rome talked the same way.

"I move," cried Mr. Smith, of Atlanta, "a suspension of the rules for the purpose of making this election by acclamation."

The motion prevailed.

"We will take the vote by rising," said President Newman.

Instantly every man was on his feet.

And as they came up they raised a terrible yell.

President Newman found it unnecessary to announce the result.

J. Jones Gardner and Sloppy Weather stepped up the aisle, as the members yelled, both keeping step and perfect time.

"I move," said Mr. Bean, of Atlanta, as soon as order was secured, "that the chair appoint a committee of three to escort the new president to the chair."

The motion prevailed, and Mr. Bean, of Atlanta, Mr. Van, of Macon, and Mr. Mont-

gomery, of Atlanta, were named as the committee.

The gentlemen found the president-elect sitting in Sloppy Weather's lap.

They gathered him to them and conducted him to the stage, the drummers beating and the music going wild during the time. Button-hole bouquets, tuberoses and geraniums were tossed at the Augustan until he began to think he was in a hot-house.

As Mr. Weisenger stepped upon the stage, President Newman advanced, and, grasping his successor by the hand, said:

"Permit me to congratulate you."

"Better congratulate yourself for getting out of there," cried Sloppy.

Mr. Newman stepped aside, and Mr. Weisenger said:

Gentlemen of the Southern Travelers' Association: I know there is a set form of speech for a man to get up and say that he is very much surprised, but I will assure you that I have never been so surprised in my life as when I found this morning that the opinion of the association was crystallizing around myself for president.

I felt honestly that you ought to select some one of the gentlemen who have served you so faithfully. So far as I am concerned, I would be less than human, if I did not feel deeply grateful to you. I assure you that if there is one man on the face of the earth who appreciates warm, true-hearted friendship, it is the humble citizen who stands before you at this time. [Applause.] I would be less than human if my heart did not swell in my bosom from the warm, true confidence which you have placed in me this day, and I trust that I may never see the day when a man upon this floor, or a member of this association will say that he regrets the vote he gave upon this occasion. [Applause.] If honest, earnest, untiring efforts on my behalf will retain that confidence which you have so nobly placed in me by what you have done today, most assuredly that I will put forth those efforts to the best of my ability.

I recognize the fact that I have been complimented, as much I suppose from the fact that I am from Augusta as anything else, because you must remember that down on the banks of the Savannah, notwithstanding we are it in quotation on our banner, we believe that we are the people.

We have come to this convention in a spirit of good-will, and we honestly believe that we have been a sort of oil upon the troubled waters, and probably that is another reason why I was selected. And now, with all the earnestness in me, I thank you for this great compliment you have paid me, and will pledge you my untiring efforts in your behalf.

"We will now proceed with the election of the first vice-president," said the president concluding his inaugural address.

Instantly Mr. Pitters, of Augusta, was upon his feet.

"I want," he said, "to present the name of a Maconian for the first vice-president."

Then Mr. Pitters paid a handsome tribute

to the gentleman from the central city, saying that everyone who knew him loved him.

"I am talking," he concluded, "about A. W. Kennedy."

One after another the delegations endorsed the nomination. There was no opposition, and Mr. Kennedy was given the united vote with enthusiasm.

Mr. Strauss, of Florida, was made second vice-president without opposition.

Mr. Moore, V. A., of Birmingham, was pre-

sented for third vice-president, and received the hearty support of every member of every delegation on the floor.

The association was then adjourned.

Then turning to the audience, Mr. Moore made the prettiest speech ever made upon the Southern Travelers' association floor. It was short, full of love for the association and respect for the members, and elicited unstinted applause.

The oration given Mr. Moore was a great compliment to him. Mr. Moore's address was a rare treat to the association.

The election of directors brought out a good many candidates, the result being the election of the following: H. L. Atwater, Atlanta; C. B. Townsend, Savannah; L. H. Montgomery, Birmingham; J. K. N. Kunkle, Columbus; H. N. Reed, Augusta; H. L. Landsell, Rome.

Rev. J. R. Gilmore, of Savannah, was re-elected chaplain by acclamation.

For attorney, Mr. Smith, of Atlanta, nominated Mr. Morris Brandon, and paid him a handsome compliment as a lawyer of great ability. Mr. Abrams nominated Mr. W. H. Fleming, referring eloquently to his past services.

At Mr. Brandon's request, his name was withdrawn, and Mr. Fleming was re-elected by acclamation.

The contest for the next convention was a heated one. Augusta and Birmingham were the candidates, Augusta winning on the final vote by fifty-four to fifty-three.

Racing at the Park.

The racing at Piedmont park in the afternoon was fine, and a great big crowd enjoyed it immensely.

The special feature, of course, was the mule race.

There were five entries—C. C. McClain, F. S. Merchant, W. I. Maddox, J. W. Holes and E. H. Hutcherson.

Mr. Hutcherson, with Oglesby & Meador here, rode a little black mule.

It was the only little black mule in the race.

And Mr. Hutcherson won the race.

The Concert Last Night.

The opera-house was crowded last night, and the concert is pronounced by musical critics one of the finest ever given in Atlanta. It was given complimentary to the Southern Travelers' association, under the auspices of the Atlanta branch. The drummers were out in full force, and altogether it was one of the best audiences of the season.

Mr. J. H. Stiff deserves great credit for the success of the entertainment. Every number was rendered in a most delightful manner. The phonograph worked to a perfection, and made one of the most interesting features of the entertainment. "The Toast," by the male quartette—Messrs. Francis, O'Connor, Burbank and Stiff—was particularly good. Professor Carlisle's banjo brought down the house, and the professor was twice recalled. Miss Heidt's vocal solo deserves special mention. She was encored repeatedly.

Mr. Sam Burbank, and his laurels in the bass solo, "Claude Duval." Miss Pomeroy's piano solo exhibited marked talent. Mrs. Richards' vocal solo was another highly enjoyable feature.

The following programme was rendered:

PART FIRST.

1. Overture.....Zouave Band

2. Male Quartette....."The Toast"

3. Banjo solo.....Professor Carlisle

4. Bass solo—"King Death".....A. Strelski

5. Piano solo—"Caprice Heroique".....Kontaki

6. Vocal solo—"Ah! so tu dormi sigillate".....Miss Carol Heidt

PART SECOND.

1. Bass solo—"Claude Duval".....Mallory

2. Phonograph—Recorded the following:

1. "Selina Polka," concert solo, by Milton

2. "Banjo," concert solo, by New York

3. "Dixie," concert solo, by Milton

4. Church chimes, taken from the tower of Trinity church.....New York

5. Piano solo.....Laville

6. Vocal solo—"Oh! so tu dormi sigillate".....Bischoff

7. Medley band.....S. T. A. band

8. Accompanists.

Piano—Miss Maude Watson, Miss Mamie Walker, Mrs. Arthur Richards.

Clarinet—Professor Fred Weidner.

After the concert Messrs. E. P. Donohoo & Co. invited all the ladies and gentlemen taking part in the concert to partake of a feast at his dining-hall. The spread was an elegant affair, and creditable to him no less than enjoyable to his guests.

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Mr. M. F. Bragg, passenger and ticket agent of the Norfolk and Western at Norfolk, was here yesterday.

THE GROCERS' PICNIC.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR A BIG DAY NEXT TUESDAY.

They Will Shut Up Their Stores on Tuesday and Ask That the Public Lay in a Two Days' Supply on Monday.

Grocerymen on a frolic.

And their friends will be with them.

It will be next Tuesday, the 13th of May. Maddox park is the place.

The train leaves the East Tennessee depot at 8 o'clock sharp.

Make it a point to be there—with the jolly, big-hearted, heavy-basketed grocers—and join them in having a good time.

The grocers are making extensive preparations for their frolic, and, profiting by their great success of last year, have laid their plans on a big scale.

Fare for the round trip will be fifty cents, children twenty-five cents.

The grocers have given public notice that they will shut up shop on Tuesday.

They say if you want anything to eat on that day, you must either buy it the day before, Monday, or go along with them to Maddox park.

A more closely-confined class of men than the grocers there is not. A day's merry-making in the woods will do them so much good that you won

COLLEY AND LAWSON.

THE TWO RIVAL CANDIDATES IN THE EIGHTH.

They Meet in Historic Old Wilkes and Measure Intellectual Arms—The Impression They Made on the People.

WASHINGTON, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—Colley and Lawson opened the congressional campaign in the eighth district at this place yesterday.

At the dinner recess both candidates spoke to a very large crowd in the court house. Judge Lawson spoke first, occupying about two hours. Colley followed, speaking about half that length of time.

Hon. B. S. Irvin introduced Colley in a beautiful address, showing his fealty to the friend of his youth, of his loyalty and of his later years, speaking of the days when Colley, at fifteen years of age, shouldered his musket and went to the front.

When Colley rose on the judge's stand he greeted with a tremendous outburst of applause. He spoke of the trying days in the south when every effort was put forth to defend her honor. He said the south, then, by stress of circumstances, could not give her attention to the great questions of state on currency and on the tariff, as she does now.

Colley then showed up Lawson's extremely vulnerable war record. Though he was of age, rich and childless, he did not appear on any of the fields where men were so urgently needed. His only service was as a war correspondent in the "Proudness Battery" over at Millidgeville.

Only a few weeks ago Judge Lawson joined the alliance and had it published to the world. At the time he was a lawyer, had paid his license as such, and was secretary and treasurer, and ex-officio president of the Estonton railroad. Mr. Colley had the certificates to show these facts. He said Judge Lawson would wake up some morning and find himself a railroad president and not a farmer.

This is Colley's native county. Of course he earned the crowd overwhelmingly. The expressions from the people show beyond all doubt that Colley will carry this county without difficulty.

Another Account. There was a large political gathering in Wilkes, which was addressed by Lawson and Colley both. It was called by friends of Judge Lawson, who desired to hear him. As twelve counties cannot each send a native, a large number of Wilkes' voters wished to hear Judge Lawson. After this meeting was appointed, Mr. Colley's friends wished him to address the county, and of course, all were willing to add him as speaker. Both gentlemen spoke with much earnestness to a very large audience composed of the best citizens from all over Wilkes county.

Judge Lawson has a strong following in Wilkes, who will organize, and are determined that there shall be a fair representation in the convention. Mr. Colley, of course, has strong friends, but only a vote can tell which side will carry the county. Mr. Colley has formidable opposition.

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Frank Colley is a tall, dark, handsome man, whom people say looks like Dr. Hawthorne, but as the ladies here say, he is a great deal handsomer than Dr. Hawthorne. He is a fluent, ready speaker with much tact, and was strongly applauded also. He is more of an orator than Lawson.

THE RACE IN THE NINTH. ALPHARETTA, Ga., May 7.—[Special.]—The political pot has begun its simmering here, and a few more such heat will bring it to a boil. The county alliance met to suggest candidates for the senate and house of representatives, which they did by presenting as their candidate for the senate from the thirty-third district Rev. J. H. Johnston, while A. W. Devore was the lucky man for the house.

These gentlemen are presented to the democrats of the county as the alliance candidates simply, and will run in the democratic primaries or convention, whichever may be held, and abide the result.

It is understood, however, that no other alliance man will be allowed to enter the race for the nomination.

THE CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS. During the day the Hon. Thomas Winn, of Gwinnett, and Judge Joseph R. Brown were shaking hands with their friends. The alliance meeting found time to allow these gentlemen the use of the court room that they might address the people, which they both did in speeches of not very great length.

Mr. Winn made a fine alliance speech, touching on some of the leading political questions, upholding both parties with coming far short of their duties, sparring one about as much as the other. Mr. Winn is not an avowed candidate for congress, but said while here that he would not say that he would not.

JUDGE BROWN'S SPEECH. Judge Brown made a very clear and forcible speech, in which he endorsed the alliance movement, but insisted that all classes and professions should be united in fighting the common enemy and taking care of the old spirit of state. His speech made him many friends. While no doubt a great many of the alliance men of the county are inclined to support Mr. Winn because of the brotherly love which exists, yet it is a fact that Judge Brown is very strong among the voters. It was shown on a test vote in the alliance meeting that Judge Brown had developed an unexpected strength among them, while outside, comparatively all democrats are for him.

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Colonel John Millidge is kept pretty busy nowadays inspecting cavalry companies. He leaves this morning to inspect the Macon Hussars. The Governor's Horse Guard and Troup Hussars were inspected here on Memorial Day.

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THE WEATHER REPORT. Forecast for Georgia. WASHINGTON, May 7.—Indications for tomorrow: Slightly cooler, except in the extreme northwest portion; warmer, easterly winds; rain in eastern, fair in western portion.

SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. A. LOCAL OBSERVATIONS. Taken at 8 a. m. and 8 p. m.

(Local Time.)	Barom.	Therm.	Wind.	Direction.	Velocity.	Rainfall.	Weather.
7 a. m.	30.06	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
8 a. m.	30.05	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
9 a. m.	30.04	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
10 a. m.	30.03	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
11 a. m.	30.02	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
12 m.	30.01	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
1 p. m.	30.00	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
2 p. m.	29.99	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
3 p. m.	29.98	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
4 p. m.	29.97	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
5 p. m.	29.96	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
6 p. m.	29.95	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
7 p. m.	29.94	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
8 p. m.	29.93	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
9 p. m.	29.92	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
10 p. m.	29.91	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
11 p. m.	29.90	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	
12 m.	29.89	62	SE	5	0.00	Cloudless	

ATLANTA DISTRICT. Atlanta 62, 44, 0.00. Cartersville 72, 44, 0.00. Columbus 72, 44, 0.00. Chattahoochee 68, 44, 0.01. Gainesville 68, 44, 0.01. Greenville 70, 44, 0.00. Griffin 70, 44, 0.00. Macon 70, 44, 0.00. Newnan 70, 44, 0.00. Spartanburg 64, 40, 0.00. Toccoa 66, 40, 0.00. West Point 72, 48, 0.00.

Missing. JOHN FITZGERALD, Observer.

Hereditary Blood Poison. Many of the evils of life are inherited. Parents transmit to their children a state of blood impurity. What a fearful heritage to bequeath an innocent child! Scrofula, skin diseases, erysipelas, sore eyes, ringworm, tetters, eczema, scald head, scabby surfaces, syphilitic symptoms, ulcers, and consumptive tendencies, etc., all of which make the miserable, and the victim a prey to designing quacks. It is surely a disgrace that this duty of everyone to keep their blood pure and their systems in a condition of good health. Nature has given us kindly herbs that will accomplish this if properly used. The best are used with careful selection in that compound known as Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla. There is no phase of blood poison this incomparable alternative will not relieve. If a sufferer from blood disease, do you yourself great injustice if you fail to try it.—Springfield Express.

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Five Horses. The undersigned arrived with a carload of fine thoroughbred horses on Saturday evening. They consist of standard bred fillies, three and four-year-old geldings, and two stallions, one a fine saddle, and the other a trotter, three to George Turner, record 2:15 1/2. These are all first-class horses, and can be seen at the stable of Miller & Brady, on Lloyd street, on Monday, 5th inst. may 5-6.

Excelsior Steam Laundry. The Excelsior Steam Laundry have leased the large three-story building at 47 Deane street, and have what might be said to be the best equipped laundry establishment in the south. They are prepared

LIVELY TIMES IN COURT

TWO LAWYERS HAVE A MISUNDERSTANDING.

Judge Clark Accepts Apologies and They Make Friends Again—Several Interesting Suits Filed—City Court Grist.

There came near being a full-fledged sensation in Judge Marshall Clarke's court-room yesterday.

Colonel George S. Thomas and Colonel W. S. Thompson became involved in a misunderstanding.

It grew out of Colonel Thompson's argument in a case that was pending, and in which Colonel Thomas was engaged on the opposite side.

Colonel Thompson made an allusion which Colonel Thomas did not like, and for a few moments it looked like trouble would come of it.

The case on trial was that of Smith against Leonard for \$100 damages.

As alleged in the declaration, the suit is the outgrowth of a controversy over a slaughter-house owned by Z. A. Smith, out near Tight Springs.

Leonard's home is near this slaughter-house, and it was claimed that he had repeatedly requested Smith to remove it.

This was refused, and some time ago Leonard complained to Captain Garrett, foreman of the grand jury, and Smith was indicted for maintaining a public nuisance.

He went to jail, but was released upon bond signed by Judge Strong.

Then the suit tried yesterday was instituted, Smith acting upon the ground of false and malicious imprisonment.

Colonel George S. Thomas and John Clay Smith were the attorneys representing Jack Smith; the plaintiff and W. S. Thompson appeared on behalf of Mr. Leonard.

During the argument before the jury Colonel Thompson referred to the plaintiff as a case of blackmail.

In an instant Colonel Thomas was upon his feet.

He gestulated excitedly with his clenched fist, and, without addressing the court, denied in vigorous terms the charge of the opposing counsel, saying that he was a man of honor, and would permit no such imputation against his party.

But the lawyer paid little attention to the bluff, and Judge Clarke was compelled to interfere to induce him to cease his disturbance and sit down.

Judge Clarke directed Bailiff Anthony to take Colonel Thomas in charge—to arrest him.

At this he quieted down. Judge Clarke remarked that he would investigate the matter when the case was through.

After the jury had gone out Colonel Thomas arose, and, addressing the court, desired to enter his apology for what he had done. He said that he took the remarks of Colonel Thompson as reflecting on his personal character at the time. But later an explanation had been had between them, and he was sorry for permitting his passion to overmaster him.

Colonel Thomas also stated to the court that he had meant nothing personal as to the professional character of his brother lawyer.

Judge Clarke accepted the apology for the disturbance, with the remark that he was anxious that his administration should be run without any conflict between himself and the members of the bar.

At the hour of adjournment yesterday afternoon the verdict was reached by the jury, which was discharged by consent of counsel till this morning, when it will again go into the jury-room to consider the case and make a verdict.

Colonel Thompson and Colonel Thomas left the court-room as good friends as ever.

No harm was intended in the remark, but a difficulty came near resulting from it.

CITY COURT GRIST.

The city court has been grinding hard since the criminal session began last Monday.

Yesterday the trial of the knitting-mill rioters was concluded.

Tom Holcomb, Ed Barbour and Phil Coleman were the defendants charged with the riot.

They were arraigned at the last term of court, but on account of the absence of important testimony for the state the case was continued.

Yesterday the jury returned a verdict finding Holcomb guilty of assault and acquitting the other two, Barbour and Coleman.

Back of Shields and Will Hamilton, charged with assault and battery, were acquitted.

Bailiff Kimberly, of the city court, was yesterday appointed to temporarily succeed Jailer Seaborn at the Fulton county jail.

Yesterday morning Mr. Osborn requested that he be relieved from duty as jailer.

After the trial of Chas. Osborn, his brother, who was committed to jail for the spoiling of Bradley last Monday.

Jailer Osborn will swap places with Bailiff Kimberly, and will serve Judge Van Epps until Charlie Osborn leaves the jail.

WILL MAKE THINGS HUM.

Mr. W. P. Hill, who was appointed solicitor pro tem of the superior court by Judge Clark, Monday, to serve during the absence of Solicitor Charlie Hill, who is now wending his way to Europe.

Mr. Hill has started in earnest and says he intends to make things hum while he holds the reins. He has called the grand jury to meet on next Thursday, when a number of matters will be brought before it.

The criminal branch of the superior court will meet on next Monday week.

INTERESTING DIVORCE SUIT.

Algermon Wofford yesterday began proceedings for divorce from Irene Wofford. He states that he was married to her, Irene Edwards, on September 19, 1889, in Birmingham, Ala.

In a way the marriage was romantic.

Wofford goes on to give the details of the romance. He says he had been paying close attention to Irene for some time when she was arrested on a charge of seduction. He was committed to jail by a magistrate on preliminary trial, at which trial Irene importuned him to marry her, assuming him that the prosecution would then end.

Algermon writes that he refused at first, but finally consented, and in the language of the libel, "the honeymoon was reared upon the spot," his intention being to return what was wrong.

They would have lived happily together, he says, had he not been the useful possessor of the knowledge that Irene's character was not spotless, which she herself acknowledged after the marital knot had been tied.

He says he would have suffered imprisonment and any other punishment rather than have consented to the marriage had he known before it was consummated what he does now.

Algermon prays relief from those "bonds which are misery to him and not joy," and asks for the restoration of that freedom which he was by fraud and force induced to part with.

Spears & Roan are attorneys for the suppliant husband. Some passages in the petition are somewhat novel in the way of divorce literature.

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The Emmetts and their friends will enjoy a day in the woods on May 15th, at Vining's station. A good hand procured and all kind of Irish sports will be participated in. Come and see the fun. 47 11 1890

THE MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers for the Ensuing Year.

The Memorial association of Atlanta held its annual meeting at the Young Men's library parlors yesterday at 11 a. m. A good attendance of members present.

During the past year \$75 marble headstones have been put up at Oakland cemetery at a cost of \$1,800 each.

The American Marble company having taken the contract has carried it out with the utmost liberality and consideration and has done more than the contract called for.

The president's report called attention to material assistance rendered the association by many friends to the cause, the Western and Atlantic railroad, Georgia railroad, Southern Express company, Rev. Mr. Barrett, chaplain; Mrs. Wm. King and many kind friends contributing floral decorations; Brady & Miller for carriage for orator, etc., etc.

Mrs. George T. Fry, secretary, resigned the office of secretary because of her change of residence from Atlanta to Chattanooga. Resolutions of regret at her loss were passed and she was elected an honorary member for life of the Atlanta Memorial association by a unanimous vote. Mrs. Fry has been one of the most prominent ladies of the association, and much of the success is due to her work.

Mrs. A. E. Goode and Mrs. W. W. Clayton were also elected honorary members. These ladies have been faithful members and earnest workers since the association was first formed, and it is a pleasure to the present members to recognize their worth and labors.

The treasurer's report was read and recorded. After paying all indebtedness so far, there remains in the treasury \$433.36. Of this sum \$25.21 came from the boxes on Memorial Day.

The election of officers then took place for the ensuing year, and resulted as follows:

Mrs. Milledge, president.

Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Mrs. W. A. Wright, Mrs. E. F. Hoge, Mrs. Joseph H. Morgan, vice-presidents.

Mrs. J. C. Olmstead, treasurer.

Mrs. Samuel W. Goode, secretary.

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EPISCOPAL DELEGATES.

Representatives from St. Luke's and St. Philip's Off to Milledgeville.

The Episcopal convention for the diocese of Georgia meets in Milledgeville today.

Quite a number of leading clergymen from this city have gone to attend the convention.

St. Luke's is represented by Rev. Dr. R. S. Barrett, Colonel Z. D. Harrison, Colonel Charles Siedell and Mr. C. A. Read.

St. Philip's is represented by Rev. Mr. George Funsten, Colonel Thomas G. Walker, Colonel T. G. Screven and Mr. Edward Parsons.

THE CORNER-STONE.

Of the Grady Hospital to be Ready by the 14th.

Mr. J. M. Brady, superintendent of the American Marble works, of Marietta, called on Colonel Milledge yesterday and stated that the handsome marble cornerstone for the Grady hospital, which the American Marble company is having made as a donation to the Grady hospital, will be ready by Wednesday, May 14th.

Preparations can be made at once now for the laying of the cornerstone.

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Mr. H. B. Elston, No. 3 East Alabama street, is prepared to do all kinds of tailoring. The fact that he guarantees his work in every particular is evidence of his sincerity. He has a full line of samples. Call and see him. He doubtless can save you considerable money.

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"Rate War."

The "Missouri Pacific Railway" are selling first-class tickets to Kansas city for \$4.50 and to Denver, Col. for \$5.00, on May 9 and 10, and will round about this trip tickets to Fort Worth. Texas at just one-half the regular rate, with the unusual privilege of going out one day and returning another in Texas. For particulars address

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Don't fail to attend the auction sale of three lots on the corner of Hood and Ira streets, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, by Ketner, Fox & Co. Miles Turpin, auctioneer.

THE COOPER WHEEL.

AN ATLANTA INVENTION THAT WILL REVOLUTIONIZE THINGS.

A Prolonged Test by Chief Engineer Crawford, of the Thompson-Houston Company, on a Seventy-Degree Curve.

Atlanta is everything on wheels.

All sorts of cars and car appliances have been invented here, and now an Atlanta wheel promises to revolutionize the wheel business wherever there are railroad curves.

THE CONSTITUTION printed, some days ago, an account of the preliminary test of the Cooper anti-friction wheel.

The thing is very simple, and that makes it all the more wonderful—wonderful because nobody thought of so simple and effective a contrivance before.

The gist of the matter is that the outside wheel on a curve has to travel farther than the wheel which has the inside track.

An ordinary wheel can't do this without slipping. That means friction, and friction means trouble—trouble to furnish enough power and trouble to keep the car from jumping the track.

But the friction wheel is a wheel within a wheel. When it gets on the outside of a curve it divides time with the friction wheel, which slips on the axle and makes up the time the fixed wheel could not make without slipping on the rail.

The test was made on a seventy-degree curve at the car house of the Fulton County Electric railway.

Mr. Crawford attached an amperometer to the machinery, and Mr. Crawley marked the number of amperes registered by the 500-volt current when applied to start the car on the middle of the curve. The controller was turned to point 22 on its dial each time, and four tests of this kind were made on car 7 and car 14, the first fitted with the Cooper wheel, and the second without it.

The results showed an average of eighty-one amperes for the plain car and eighty-three for the car with anti-friction wheels. This showed a difference of about one and two-thirds horse-power in favor of the plain car, but this may have been accounted for by some variation in the current, which was estimated at five hundred volts, but was accurately measured only for amperes.

The superiority of the anti-friction wheel was plainly shown, however, when Mr. Crawford ran the plain car backwards over the curve. It jumped the track repeatedly when the car with the anti-friction wheel had rolled along smoothly.

"The test clearly demonstrates that the anti-friction wheel, in principle," said Mr. Crawford after the test "the thing that remains to be done is to test the practical working of it under a heavy load, accurately measuring amperes and miles by instruments located on the car where they are affected by the jar."

Mr. Cooper explained that the test wheels were made of soft, gray iron, and would not last as long as the steel wheels. Mr. Crawford of the Thompson-Houston company, remarked that this would make considerable difference, and a good oiling would make no difference.

Mr. Howell Irwin, who is interested in the wheel with Mr. Cooper, and is attorney for the patent, says they will take a set of wheels to Boston, where the most extensive electrical plants in the country are located, and test them thoroughly there. Then it is proposed to organize a company to make them. It is said that the cost will only exceed that of our ordinary wheels by ten per cent.

A great point in the matter is that the long electric cars have to run upon short tracks only six feet from center to center of wheels in order to clear the seventy-degree curves easily. It is thought the anti-friction wheel will enable them to use an eight-foot track, which will be much better.

But the principle will apply also on railroads where the curves do not go beyond thirty degrees.

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1. Atlanta, like nearly all cities, is rapidly building out and extending westward, and will continue to do so.

2. The three most important railroads entering Atlanta—the Macon, Western and Georgia—are all supplied, especially coal, wood, timber, lumber, brick and other manufacturing supplies come—enter the city from the west side, and run together very near this property.

3. Nearly all the factories, shops and manufacturing of Atlanta are now and will be located in the western portion of the city, and they will continue to extend westward along and near the railroad over which their supplies come. Such is the natural and inevitable result.

4. Hence the population, manufacturing and commercial interests and wealth also of Atlanta will surely extend westward and cause the western portion of the city to fill up rapidly, and the value of the property to increase wonderfully and rapidly. Therefore this fine property will prove to be safe and very profitable investments.

5. For many reasons this property offers as many attractions as any in the vicinity. It is elevated, commands fine views of the city, is perfectly healthy and pleasant, is favored with pure fresh air and water, is near street cars, railroads, stores, schools, churches, and nearly all the facilities and shops of the city, and is just one and three-quarter miles from the carshed, the actual center of the city, being just outside the city limits, where it is exempt from city taxes, yet by the new streets that have been and will be opened straight to the property, it is a very short walk to the business and central portion of the city.

6. The Belt railroad will be continued across by Belvidere to connect with the Central, Atlanta and West Point, and East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroads in the southern portion of the city, and will run just outside this property and will add much to its value.

7. A movement is now on foot to open Chestnut street along the east side of this property from Marietta street and Belvidere straight through to West End and Westview streets, and it is thought that street cars will be run across from this section of the city to Westview, and the present street cars will be extended to go all the way around through the center of the city.

8. The location of this property renders it also, utterly certain that it will build up and soon become very valuable. We have no doubt but that the Macon and Western Georgia railroad will have to come into the city across this property. It must advance rapidly in value because of its convenience to the business and manufacturing portions of the city. Examine and think a little, and you will be convinced that this fine property will soon double in value, and is the location to buy, either for homes or to make money on. You can't put your money into anything that will be so profitable as this. Atlanta's property increases in value every year, and the safest, quickest and best way to make money is to buy and sell lots. Titles absolutely perfect. Terms, one-fourth cash, and balance six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest at eight per cent. Free ride on special Marietta street cars at 2:30 p. m. sharp. Everybody invited.

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5. For many reasons this property offers as many attractions as any in the vicinity. It is elevated, commands fine views of the city, is perfectly healthy and pleasant, is favored with pure fresh air and water, is near street cars, railroads, stores, schools, churches, and nearly all the facilities and shops of the city, and is just one and three-quarter miles from the carshed, the actual center of the city, being just outside the city limits, where it is exempt from city taxes, yet by the new streets that have been and will be opened straight to the property, it is a very short walk to the business and central portion of the city.

6. The Belt railroad will be continued across by Belvidere to connect with the Central, Atlanta and West Point, and East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroads in the southern portion of the city, and will run just outside this property and will add much to its value.

7. A movement is now on foot to open Chestnut street along the east side of this property from Marietta street and Belvidere straight through to West End and Westview streets, and it is thought that street cars will be run across from this section of the city to Westview, and the present street cars will be extended to go all the way around through the center of the city.

8. The location of this property renders it also, utterly certain that it will

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MASONIC TEMPLE.

THE COMMITTEE BUYS A LOT TO BUILD IT ON

At the Corner of Pryor and Wheat Streets for \$33,000—Other Real Estate News—A Big Sale by the Rome Land Company.

The Masons have bought their temple site. Mr. John M. Moore sold his lot at the corner of Pryor and Wheat streets for \$33,000.

This was over four hundred dollars a front foot for vacant property, fronting North Pryor street.

The lot is triangularly shaped, running back 121 feet on Wheat street.

Mr. Moore sold the lot to the Masonic temple building committee, with the stipulation that it be built upon.

He said yesterday that he would not have sold it to private parties for what he accepted from the Masons, and would be willing to pay them a premium to undo the bargain.

Mr. Moore has already subscribed \$250 to the Masonic temple fund.

The negotiations between Mr. Moore and the Masonic committee have been pending some time, the Masons holding off with a preference for the Seltzer property sold Tuesday.

But that went too high for them, and yesterday the committee decided it advisable to close with Mr. Moore while his site was in their reach.

Mr. Moore says he has had a number of offers for the lot, but has all along refused to put a figure upon it except to the Masons.

Only a short time ago property within a hundred feet of that sold by Mr. Moore yesterday, was bought for \$200 per front foot.

The Young Men's Christian association building is on a diagonal corner from the site where the Masonic temple will be built.

Such a price has never before been paid for property in this neighborhood.

Some other movements.

Mr. Isaac S. Boyd was yesterday offered \$30,000 for his property at the junction of Luckie, Broad and Peachtree streets, known as the Seaside building house.

Captain Boyd refused the offer, which was made by three different parties during the day.

Ten years ago, Mr. E. E. Smith sold the residence, 54 North Pryor street, for \$2,300. A few days ago the same place was sold again. This time it brought \$10,300. Quite a snug increase in ten years.

There is scarcely any end to the auction sales looked for today.

Here are some of them:

Miles Turpin will auction off three lots on Hood and Ira streets for Ketter, Fox & Co. It's worth attending the sale to hear Miles.

Samuel W. Goode & Co. have their big sale of Edgewood park lots. A special train will leave on the Georgia road at 1:30.

At 4 o'clock Kelly & Bell will sell eleven lots on Foundry, Maple and Walnut streets.

Dr. Henry L. Nelson holds a sale on Alexander, Orme, Mills and Hunnicutt streets at 3 o'clock.

ROME FOLLOWS ATLANTA.

Mr. A. F. Ross, representing the New Rome Land company, was in the city yesterday in the interest of the big sale which is to be held there on the 14th, 15th and 16th of this month.

The sale has been thoroughly advertised through the north, and Mr. Ross says Rome expects big things to come of it.

Recently the present company purchased the Rome Land company's property, something over 2,000 acres for \$300,000.

Captain S. H. Buck, of Huntsville, Ala., is president of the company, almost all the stock being owned by northern and eastern capitalists.

The turning loose of this \$300,000 in Rome has given the city a great boost, and it is now on a regular Georgia boom—which is the very best sort of a boom by the way.

Captain T. A. Frierson will conduct the sale. Low rates have been secured on all railroads leading to Rome, and a multitude of fortune-seekers is expected at the sale.

Mr. Ross leaves shortly for other points, where he goes to spread the news of the big sale and describe the advantages of the beautiful hill city.

ANNUAL MEETING
Of the Atlanta Manufacturers' Improvement Company Yesterday.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlanta Manufacturers' Improvement company was held yesterday afternoon at the business office of THE CONSTITUTION, a large majority of the stockholders being present.

The treasurer presented his report, showing two large dividends paid during the year and several thousand dollars still in the treasury besides the assets of the company in lands.

The election of directors for the present year resulted in the unanimous choice of Dr. J. S. Todd, Dr. H. G. Hutchison, Mr. Anthony Murphy, Mr. W. A. Russell and Major M. C. Kiser.

Immediately after the adjournment of the stockholders' convention the board of directors met and elected officers: Dr. J. S. Todd, president; W. A. Russell, vice-president; G. W. Adair, general manager, and Joseph H. Jones, secretary and treasurer.

This company is made up of some of the first business men of Atlanta. Their holdings consist of a very valuable tract of suburban property, just at the United States military post, known as Forest park, and as all of their property is rapidly enhancing in value and the association in a healthy condition and ably officered, the stockholders are well satisfied with their investments.

An incident of the meeting was a very complimentary tribute to the energy and ability of the retiring director, Clark Howell, by Dr. Hutchison, a co-worker on the board of directors, Mr. Howell's duties compelling him to decline a re-election.

The picture of every boy or girl that brings in ten dollars in subscriptions to the Elephant fund will appear in THE CONSTITUTION. Look out for the portraits!

Many mothers would willingly pay a dollar a box for Dr. Bull's Worm Destroyers if they could not get it for less. It costs only 25 cents and is sold by druggists.

Commercial Travelers
are all invited to visit Little Switzerland, the most charming pleasure resort in the south. Just 150 yards from Grant park. Amusements of all kinds; best of refreshments served; ten-pin alleys brightly lit up, and kept open every night until 10:30 o'clock.

A New Departure.
Real Irish linen note paper, ruled or unruled, with envelopes to match, sold by the pound at John M. Miller's, 31 Marietta street.

Removal.
We have moved our store from No. 9 North Pryor street to No. 38 Peachtree street, J. H. Powell & Bros. old stand.

Short Line.
Atlanta to Athens via Madison and the Covington and Macon railroad. Fare \$3.02.

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THE PREACHERS' ASSEMBLY.

Of the Gammon Theological Seminary Yesterday.

Very interesting and instructive exercises were held yesterday by the Preachers' assembly of the Gammon Theological Seminary.

The subject for the opening devotional hour was: "Our Southland for Christ."

The next hour was given to a lecture by Professor Thirkield on "The Sunday School as a Religious Institution." A plea was made for concerted teachers, that through them the school might be made spiritual and divine in its work, and thus bring the young to a saving knowledge of Christ.

The hour under Prof. Crawford on the life of Christ was made one of great interest and profit through his masterly presentation of the subject.

Prof. Sparks then presented a lecture marked by clear thought and able analysis of the theme on "Prayer; its Conditions, Elements, Results."

These lectures are designed to help ministers in their preaching and church work.

At 3 o'clock Dr. Lee gave a lecture on the "Waking of Man." It was a scholarly production.

Dr. D. H. Moore, of Cincinnati, lectured at 7:30 p. m. on "Thought Brought Into Captivity to Christ." It was given in the best style of this eloquent and progressive thinker and held the close attention of the assembly.

The programme for to-day is as follows: 8:30 to 9 a. m.—Devotional Service. The Model Prayer Meeting.

9 to 10—Practical Theology. Lecture by the Rev. Dr. Earl Cranston, of Cincinnati. Subject: "The Pulpit Diplomat."

10 to 11—Lecture by the Rev. Dr. D. H. Moore, of Cincinnati. Subject: "The Firm is Paper and Preacher."

11 to 11:30—Education, Professor Parkes. 6. Reading the Bible.

11:30 to 12:30 p. m.—Doctrinal Theology. Professor Parkes. 4. "The Law of Prayer: Its Conditions, Elements, Results."

3 to 4—Lecture by the Rev. Dr. W. L. Davidson. Subject: "Pulpit Power, and How to Increase It."

4 to 5—Lecture by the Rev. Dr. A. H. Gillett. Subject: "Palestine from End to End." Illustrated by a series of splendid stereoscopic views thrown upon the screen by the use of the electro-carbon incandescent light.

Look out for the pictures! We propose to present in THE CONSTITUTION the picture of every boy and girl that brings in a list of subscriptions to the Elephant fund amounting to ten dollars.

A BAD NEGRO
Assaults a White Lady, Grabs Her Pocket-book and Runs.

There was an exciting scene on Decatur street early yesterday evening.

A negro named G. W. Hampton was waiting at the door when Mrs. Annie Means went to open her store. He had been discharged a day or two before, and when she saw him she ordered him away.

He struck her in the mouth, grabbed her pocket-book which she had in her hand, and ran up the street. At Beerman's corner he was intercepted by Policemen Zach Taylor and Smith, and laid the pocket-book on the window-sill and tried to elude the officers, but they were too quick for him and soon had him safe behind the bars.

He had a very badly hurt, but she kept after him until he was caught. At the recorder's court trial he was sent to jail.

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MEETINGS.
A regular communication of Atlanta Lodge, No. 53, F. and A. M., will be held in Masonic hall, corner of Marietta and Peachtree streets, at 7:30 o'clock of Thursday evening. Work in fellow crafts degree; master and fellow craft masters fraternally invited to attend.

A. J. STROPHIRE, W. M.
ZADOC B. MOON, Secretary.

H. L. WILSON - AUCTIONEER.
FOR SALE, THURSDAY, MAY 8,
AT AUCTION UPON THE
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AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.
38 Vacant Lots

On Alexander, Orme, Hunnicutt and Mills streets. This is close to business, only three blocks from the city hall, and is the best piece of land near the very center of the city that is now unoccupied. Just the place for residences for those who wish to live in the heart of the city, or for business, or for any other purpose. Here you would be independent of street cars, for you would be right at the center of the city, and the various industries near this property. Nice, clean cottages would rent to good thrifty and industrious tenants forever, and at proper prices. Here the place to make a first-class investment. The improvements now going on around these blocks are bound to enhance the value of everything upon these streets. You can't make a mistake in buying any of these lots, because they are properly located. People are moving into Atlanta from all over the country, especially from the cold and flooded districts. New immigrants are going up the time, while the old ones are constantly increasing their capacity. These new comers must have homes, and they have the money to build them, and of course must pay four prices in the future. Now is your chance to buy cheap; \$1,000 invested in this property may be worth one or three thousand in a year or so. It is now admitted that no place in the United States is as desirable as Atlanta. There is no other city like this while it is cheap. You will certainly be hauling money into your pocket, and you will be connecting Peachtree and Marietta streets; it is broad, straight and beautifully graded. Orme street leads into Peter Park and is destined to be one of the most pleasant drives from the center of the city to the park. Call and get your plat and be ready for the sale.

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H. L. WILSON,
3 Kimball House, Pryor St.

Don't fail to attend the auction sale of three lots on the corner of Hood and Ira streets, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, by Ketter, Fox & Co. Miles Turpin, auctioneer.

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The use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. One bottle may not cure "right off" a complaint of years; persist until a cure is effected. As a general rule, improvement follows shortly after beginning the use of this medicine. With many people, the effect is immediately noticeable, but some constitutions are less susceptible to medicinal influences than others, and the curative process may, therefore, in such cases, be less prompt. Perseverance in using this remedy is sure of its reward at last. Sooner or later, the most stubborn blood diseases yield to

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Howell's mill road, 4 miles out, 25 ACRES at your own price. A promising business here and the price is as good as gold.

We expect you would like to have 50 ACRES at East Point for \$1,200. If you do, come in and get it. Can give you a beautiful shaded lot on Highland avenue for \$250, worth \$1,000.

Big bargain on Randolph street, 150x180. Harris street, corner Ivy, 50x100. Central and first-class in every respect.

40x100, Pryor street, lies well, \$1,500. Lots near Boyd & Baxter's on installments, from \$150 to \$200.

Lots in east Atlanta, on dunny to Soldiers' home, for \$250 on installments.

\$3,000—50x250, Rhodes street, 5-room house and 200 sq. ft. porch, alley side, on dunny road, \$2,800—Horton street, 6-room house, nearest place on the street.

\$1,500—50x100, East street, two corners. 28x250—120x115, Inman avenue; cheap.

\$1,250—100x200, Randolph street.

\$250—Corner Rush and Clark, two corner streets. \$500—No. 77 Rock street, 4-room cottage, 40x10.

\$1,700—Forest avenue, 52x171, near car-line. \$4,000—10-room house, on Luckie street, close in, on corner, new; rents for \$40 per month.

\$1,100—3-room, Fortness avenue, 40x150.

\$1,100—Jones street, choice lots, good locality.

115 VACANT LOTS at private sale in west Atlanta, on Ashby, Hinner and Mitchell streets. These lots are simply perfect, and to accommodate all we have put the payments at 10 per cent cash and \$10 per month. There is not one of these lots that will not double in value within the next year. The improvements now on foot in this portion of the city will soon make this the most desirable portion of the city. Prices \$250 to \$500. They have only been on sale 3 days, yet many have been taken. Come while you can get a choice lot.

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The handsome lot on Peachtree street, near Seltzer property; fronts east.

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A beautiful tract of several acres, near Orme-wood; close to new dunny line.

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Beautiful vacant lots on best streets in West End

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85 acres Kirkwood, Ga. R. R., \$1,700.

No. 45 Sargent st., 9 brick house, \$4,000.

Magnificent rock quarry, 150 feet high, 20 acres, ten miles below Stone Mountain; rock enough to build two London; \$10,000.

20 acres West End, \$20,000.

200 feet fronting West Peachtree, 31-3 acres, \$5,000. 4 lots, good size, Bowden st., adjoining Henry Leonard's, \$4,000.

200 feet fronting on 182 on Lorcy, \$3,000.

No. 29 Williams st., 7-r house, \$6,000.

10 acres, 70 feet, C. R. R., near East Point, \$3,000. 31 acres place, 3 miles, well watered, \$2,100.

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SCIPLE SONS,

SUPREME COURT.

DECISIONS RENDERED MONDAY, MAY 7, 1890.

H. L. E. Blackley, Chief Justice, and H. H. Standford and T. J. Simmons, Associate Justices—Reported by Peoples and Stevens, Reporters of the Court.

O'Neill vs. State. Seduction. Criminal Law. Charge of Court. Before Judge Wain (motion for a new trial before Judge Goler). Cherokee Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—1. In a statute declaring it penal to seduce "a virtuous unmarried female," the meaning of the word "virtuous" is for determination by the jury. That is, every virgin is virtuous; and, as a general proposition, a woman who, out of wedlock and with her own consent, has parted with her virginity, is not virtuous.

2. Whether a particular woman had parted with her virginity before the alleged seduction took place, is a question for the jury. That fact may be established by evidence, direct or circumstantial; and conduct tending to show a debauched mind, the loss of moral chastity, may be considered.

3. The want of moral chastity may also be regarded on the question whether the woman, though a virgin, was really seduced, or whether she shared the intercourse for the gratification of lascivious propensities not influenced by the arts or importunity of the accused.

4. In trying a charge of seduction, the jury may apply their knowledge of human nature and of the customs existing in the community, and refer it to its sources and follow it to its consequences. They may use such knowledge, not to determine what a virtuous woman is, but upon the question whether a particular woman was a virtuous woman (according to the legal standard) at a given time.

5. Intercourse brought about by promise of marriage only, with no aid from persuasion or other false and fraudulent means, will not constitute the offense of seduction, the statutory words being, "If any person shall by persuasion and promises of marriage, or other false and fraudulent means, seduce a virtuous unmarried female," etc.

Judgment reversed. J. J. Northcutt, H. W. Newman, C. D. Phillips and Clay & Blair, for plaintiff in error.

George R. Brown, solicitor-general, by Harrison & Peoples, for the state.

Fite et al. vs. Black, Ordinary. Prohibition. Courts. Practice. Ordinary. Appeal. Statutes. Constitutional Law. Executors. Before Judge Milner. Gordon Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—1. Prohibition is the proper remedy to prevent the ordinary from proceeding further pending an appeal from that court to the superior court.

2. Appeals by affidavit in forma pauperis may be taken from judgments rendered by the court of ordinary since section 3223 of the code was amended by the act of 1879.

3. The amending act of 1879 describes both the law amended and the alteration made, sufficiently to satisfy the constitutional requirement on that subject.

4. When an error is proceeded against under section 2437 of the code for mismanagement, he is required to show cause specifically "why he should not give bond and security for the faithful execution of his trust," whereas the citation contemplated by section 2111 is to "answer to such charge." The proceeding in the present case was under the former section, not under the latter; consequently the bond and security to be given in order for an appeal to operate as a supersedeas does not apply.

Judgment reversed.

J. C. Fain, E. E. Kiker and R. J. and J. McCamy, for plaintiffs.

W. K. Moore and T. C. Milner, for defendant.

Smith vs. Floyd County. Non-suit. Actions. Counties. Constitutional Law. Damages. Before Judge Maddox. Floyd Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—1. A judgment of non-suit is no bar to a subsequent action for the same cause brought in due time.

2. Construing the constitution of 1877 and the code together, a right of action exists against a county for damages private property for public use in constructing the approaches to a county bridge, thereby widening the roadway above an adjacent lot so as to hinder access to the lot from the road.

3. The measure of damages is the actual depreciation in the market value of the lot caused by the work complained of.

Judgment reversed.

Dean & Smith, for plaintiff.

Alexander & Wright, for defendant.

Hill vs. Western Union Telegraph Company. Notice. Telegraph Companies. Damages. Demand. Waiver. Principal and Agent. Before Judge Meyerhand. City Court of Floyd County.

Blackley, C. J.—1. Where the blank upon which the sender of a telegraphic message writes and signs the receipt, and upon its face the words, "The company will not be liable for damages in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after sending the receipt," are chargeable with knowledge of and assent to the terms and conditions thus indicated.

2. Such a stipulation is reasonable and therefore obligatory.

3. The agent or manager of the company on duty at the station from which the message was sent, is a proper person upon whom to make demand for the recovery of damages; and is competent to recognize and act upon an oral demand and thus waive any writing. Such a waiver will result from his refusal to pay upon the sole ground that the company was not to blame.

Judgment reversed.

Wright & Harris, for plaintiff.

Bigby & Berry and C. Howell, for defendant.

Craigmiles et al. vs. Gamble et al. Money Rent. Liens. Debtor and Creditor. Equity. Contribution. Bona Fide. Before Judge Milner. Chattahoochee Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—1. Where a person indebted by general judgment to certain of his creditors, makes a sale of and conveys by warranty deed a portion of his lands to another with a fair and valuable consideration, and after such sale and conveyance certain others of his creditors obtain judgments against him as debtor, and when all of the property of the debtor is sold by the sheriff, including the land conveyed, and the money arising from such sale is in the hands of the sheriff for distribution, the bona fide purchaser has a superior equity to have so much of the fund which arose from the sale of the debtor's property, other than that conveyed by him, as is applied to the older judgment liens antedating his purchase, to the equity of the junior judgment creditors to have the older judgments be paid first out of the fund which arose from the sale of the purchaser's land.

2. In such a case the fund will be distributed according to equitable principles, and ratable contribution of the two funds towards satisfying the older judgment liens would be inequitable.

3. This not being a contest between several bona fide purchasers, the rule as applicable to them is not decided.

Judgment affirmed.

Dabney & Fouché, for plaintiffs.

J. M. Bellah, W. L. Shropshire, W. M. Henry, F. W. Copeland and H. L. Culbertson, for defendants.

Huntlett et al. Commissioners vs. Stone, Ordinary. Actions. Counties. (Amended matter. Before Enoch Fawcett, Judge pro hac vice. Cobb Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—An action for claims alleged to be due one county by another, brought in the name of the commissioners of the former against the ordinary of the latter, will not lie. An amendment striking the name of the ordinary so as to leave the action, as against the county, introduces a new party. 75 Ga. 782; 64 Ga. 326.

Judgment affirmed.

Candler, Thomson & Candler, by brief, for plaintiffs.

Clay & Blair, J. B. Alexander and W. R. Power, for defendant.

Rome Railroad Company vs. Tolbert. Negligence. Railroads. Before Judge Maddox. Floyd Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—Where a person, not an employee, without permission of a railroad company and against its will, and without its knowledge, goes into a yard, covered and in-

terlocked by tracks, which is being used by the company, by its engines and cars, in switching, coupling and changing cars, such person is bound to use diligence commensurate with the peril in which he has placed himself; and if he fall to do this, he cannot recover for any injury he may sustain from the running of the engines and cars of the company.

2. Under such circumstances the company would owe the trespasser no duty other than not to injure him if he knew or saw him in time to prevent it.

3. The company would not be bound to look and watch for such person as it would for one of its own employees, and as it would for a person on the main line of travel going on its accustomed duties in transporting persons and things from one place to another.

Judgment reversed.

W. H. Brooks, for plaintiff in error.

C. A. Thornwell and J. Branham, contra.

Hamby Mountain Gold Mines, limited, vs. Findley. Garnishment. Notice to Produce Papers. Practice. Before Judge Wallborn. White Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—1. Summons of garnishment having been served upon a foreign corporation, and it having answered denying that it had at any time any money, property or effects belonging to the defendant, which answer was traversed by the plaintiff, who also served the garnishee with notice to produce its books, and this notice not having been responded to, it was error to direct a verdict against the garnishee in plaintiff's favor, on his motion without the best evidence.

2. The notice to produce, calling for the garnishee's stock-book, cash-book, original book or books of entry, journal and ledger, and for the account of the defendant with the garnishee, and any and all books showing the relation of the defendant to the garnishee—is too extensive in range, and in part too vague in description. The court, before rendering the verdict, should have required the garnishee to be satisfied of the necessity for them; and none should be required to be produced except those (if any) showing dealing between the garnishee and the defendant.

Judgment reversed.

Perry & Dean, and W. K. Williams, for plaintiff in error.

W. F. Findley, contra.

Dugger vs. East Tenn., Va. & Ga. Railway Co. New Trial. Practice. Before Judge Milner. Gordon Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—A rule nisi taken by consent of both parties at an adjourned term of the superior court, on a motion for a new trial made in the interval between the regular term, when the verdict was rendered, and the adjourned term, cures an omission to sign the motion, and the irregularity in the time of making it.

Judgment affirmed.

R. J. & J. McCamy, for plaintiff.

Bacon & Rutherford and S. P. Maddox, by brief, for defendant.

McAfee vs. State. Burglary. Criminal Law. Evidence. Before Judge Milner. Whitefield Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—On trial for burglary it was error to admit testimony of the contents of letters written by the accused to his father and another person, and of the reply to one of them, over objection that the writings were the best evidence, and their non-production was not accounted for.

Judgment reversed.

B. Z. Herndon, by brief, for plaintiff in error.

A. W. Fite, solicitor-general, for the state.

Rome & Carrollton Construction Company et al. vs. Jennings and J. S. Price. Damages. Before Judge Meyerhand. City Court of Floyd County.

Blackley, C. J.—A railroad company which has condemned and paid for land for its right of way, is liable for damages to the tenant of the land, for injuries to their crops by invading cattle, which were allowed entrance by the right of way, and the property would be sold by stock-gaps before the condemnation, and these stock-gaps having been filled up by the company afterwards.

(a) Though the true measure of damages may not have been given in charge, no new trial is required if the verdict does not exceed the amount of damages which should have been found had the charge been correct.

Judgment affirmed.

Dabney & Fouché, for plaintiffs in error.

J. Branham and C. A. Thornwell, contra.

Hidell vs. Lumpkin et al. Money Rent. Mortgages. Liens. Judgments. Before Judge Maddox. Floyd Superior Court.

Blackley, C. J.—Property embraced in a mortgage was sold under a general judgment against the mortgagor, the mortgage having already been foreclosed and execution issued upon it. At the sale notice was given in behalf of the mortgagee that the property would be sold subject to the mortgage. On the following day, the mortgagee made affidavit to require the purchaser to give bond for the forthcoming of the property to answer the mortgage existing afterwards on the same day the mortgagee and the general judgment creditor agreed that the property sold might be retained by the mortgagee, and the mortgagee gave a receipt for the same.

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No. 9. (continued). Hudson vs. State. Dismissed.

No. 10. (continued). Coggins vs. Park. E. F. Dufree and A. A. Murphy, for plaintiff in error. W. J. Iverson, by brief, contra.

No. 11. (continued). Argued. W. J. Iverson, by brief, for plaintiff in error. E. F. Dufree and A. A. Murphy, contra.

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